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NODAWAY FIRST IN HOGS AND CATTLE

SURPRISING GAINS ARE SHOWN IN REPORT BY STATE AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

INCREASE IN HOGS IN YEAR IS 124,485

The Sheep Industry Also Has Shown Big Growth, the Number Being Three Times as Great as in 1917.

According to the latest figures of the Missouri co-operative Crop Reporting Service issued jointly by Field Agent E. A. Logan and Secretary Jewell Mayes of the U. S. Department and State Board of Agriculture Nodaway county shows a surprising gain in the number of hogs. The 1917 report showed 38,919 hogs in the county; the report just out for 1918 shows 163,404, more than four times as many as in the year previous. Nodaway county is credited with over 60,000 more hogs than any other county in the state, the next highest being Harrison, 106,727; Saline, 106,142; Clinton, 98328.

Nodaway county is not only pre-eminent in hogs but is far in the lead in number of cattle owned, the figures showing a total at the beginning of the year of 63,388, a gain over 1917 of 13,925. The next county in the state in number of cattle owned is Harrison with 48,694 Macon county is third with 47,844 and Linn county is fourth with 44,594.

Nodaway county has also made some strides in the sheep, industry. In 1917 the state department reported 8,609 sheep owned here. In the report for 1918 Nodaway county is shown as having 24,258 sheep. It is ninth among the counties of the state in the number of sheep owned, Sullivan county being first with 50,048 head.

The total number of hogs, cattle and sheep owned in the county is shown to be 251,050, or eight animals for every man, woman and child in the county.

The total gain in one year, 1917 to 1918, of cattle, hogs and sheep is 156,060.

Commenting on the report which includes each county in the state Secretary Mayes says:

"Since Missouri has no 'agricultural statistical law' these final figures are of necessity arrived at by the United States government system, (the best plan possible under the circumstances) but can not be nearly so authentic as by the local assessor system used by state law in Kansas and Iowa. The statistical bill, recently introduced in the House of Representatives by Allee and Clark, and in the State Senate by Wix and Glick, should speedily remedy Missouri's manay urgent needs and lacks along these lines."

Mrs. Rankin Lyle returned Saturday from a several weeks stay at the Burlington Junction mineral springs.

FOR SALE

2 Chester White sows, weight about 350 lbs each, eligible to record, will farrow about April 10 from recorded Chester White hog. 1 butchered hog, weight 225 lbs, 4 Chester White shoats, weight about 80 lbs.

WM. EVERHART,

THE TRUE AMERICAN

will be presented at

ST. MARY'S HALL

by the St. Mary's Dramatic Club

Tuesday Evening, Feb. 25.

Everybody Come.

ORCHESTRA DANCE

at

K. of C. HALL.

EVERY

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

...S TOWNSHIP TICKET

...ns Will Meet at Court ...arday March 15—Dem... Convention Probably Held on Same Day.

The Republicans will hold their township mass convention at the court house on Saturday afternoon, March 15, to nominate their ticket for the township election to be reld Tuesday, March 25. Candidates will be chosen for the following offices: Trustee, two members of the township board, assessor, collector, constable and five justices of peace.

The Democrats will probably hold their convention on the same day right after the Republican meeting.

HOME GUARDS TO GIVE DINNER

Wives and Sweethearts of Members Will Be Entertained at the Armory Next Friday Night.

The members of the Home Guards with their wives and sweethearts will be entertained at a dinner to be held at the armory on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The committee in charge of of the entertainment and dinner is composed of H. P. Swinehart, Cleav Funk, E. C. Curfman, B. M. Chandler, Roy Curfman, Charles C. Hellmers, Ed Keck, Fred Newlon and W. A. Rickenbrode. Kessler's orchestra will furnisr music during the dinner. A program will be given consisting of readings, a few addresses, songs and music. After the program, volley ball will be played.

Members are requested to attend in uniform.

ROBERT BURRIS AT COBLENZ

Writes Parents He Is Now Doing Night Sentry Duty.

Robert Burris, with the Third army, now stationed at Coblenz, Germany, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, in a letter received yesterday, that the evident preparations of his division portend a stay of several months at Coblenz and the immediate chance of his getting home is minus.

He writes however, that there are many things to enjoy, namely, little journeys into the surrounding country, the beautiful scenery along the Rhine and pleasure of sightseeing. The soldiers often attend the German movies but as every thing is introduced in "lingo" it is a pastime not often indulged in by the Yanks. For some time Robert has been doing night sentry duty.

MOURNING BRASSARDS RECEIVED

Insignia for Deceased Soldier at Red Cross Headquarters.

The mourning brassards issued by the Red Cross are here and any person entitled to one and desiring it, may call at the headquarters on West Third street and obtain it.

Miss Bettie Turner, head of the Home Service Department, is also ready to aid any one who has not received the Liberty bonds purchased by their soldier sons or relatives and any information needed on this subject may be obtained at any time from Miss Turner.

To Buy New Bonnets.

Miss Agatha Kirch left yesterday afternoon for Chicago where she will spend the next two weeks at the wholesale millinery houses buying new stock for the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store.

Returns From Des Moines.

Mrs. John Snapp returned Saturday from a five weeks visit at Des Moines, Ia., with her son, Charles Snapp. Mr. Snapp accompanied his mother to Maryville for a short visit.

Guest of Ballengers.

Mrs. W. T. Whitten of Stanberry, is visiting in Maryville with C. E. Ballenger and daughters, Misses Ella and Emma Ballenger.

Attends Shoe Dealers Meet.

W. A. Miller of the Bee Hive shoe store left last night for Kansas City to attend the meeting of the Missouri Retail Dealers Association.

Arch Carters Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Carter have returned from a visit at Hannibal, with Mr. Carters' parents.

The Ladies of St. Patrick's Church will hold

A SOCIAL

in the Parish Hall

Tuesday Night, Feb. 18.

M'DOUGAL WRITES

MARYVILLE BOY IS NOW WITH CO F, 16TH INFANTRY.

AT ELBINGAN, GERMANY

Left German Prison Camp for American Lines Four Days After the Armistice Was Signed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal received yesterday the following letter from their son, Frank McDougal, now with the American army of occupation. Frank was one of the first bunch of American prisoners taken by the Germans in November, 1917. One sheet of the paper used in the letter was Y. M. C. A., one Salvation Army paper and the envelope bore a Knight of Columbus stamp. The young lady referred to was a Red Cross worker who wrote the parents about the condition and whereabouts of their son after the signing of the armistice and news of American prisoners could be learned.

Elbingen, Germany, Jan. 17, 1919.

Received your letter of the 17th of Dec. Will tell you a few questions you asked and am sure you want to know; will tell the rest when I get home, which will sure be some time.

We knew the armistice was signed for Belgium flags flew all over town, and we quit work but stayed around till the 15th of November before we started for the lines and in about five days we met the 2nd division, American, which was at Virton, Belgium.

About three weeks or a month before the armistice was signed they moved us from Charleville into northern Belgium, a town named Vielsals, not far from the German boundary. Stayed ther till the armistice was signed, a civilian showing us the terms.

The Belgiums were very nice people, giving us one meal of potatoes and meat a day, white bread, and once some kind of cake. On leaving Vielsalm on the 15th we hiked the first day about 25 kilometers and stayed over night, the next day 16 kilometers to Bastone, all large towns, and in this town we stayed with the civilian people oven night and in good beds and it sure was fine, the first in about 18 months. From there we got a tram and rode through the hills; it sure was a pretty country, with snow on the ground and frozen hard. Were about two thousand feet above sea level. Don't know how far we rode the tram, about 50 or 60 kilometers, I guess, to a town, Arlon. The next day the tram all day to Virton, meeting the 2nd Division. In U. S. trucks from there to a railroad and on a train from there through no mans land to Verdun; from there to Bevigny, a replacement camp, where I wrote my first letter and a telegram through the Red Cross. Here, Nullhall, who was the other man, went to the hospital, and Haines and I stayed there till the 3rd or 4th of Jan. when we left for the company with some more casuals of the 1st Div. which was in Germany.

When we were captupred, after about a week they sent the three of us together to Charlesville, and the rest into Germany, and I guess they have returned, but have not seen them.

The young lady in Paris is right about not being in Limburg because that is in Germany, the main American camp, the one we were in being a branch of that one.

Have seen no one from home but Allen and have not see him for a year but have heard he is still alive, and that Claude Middleton is in the same company.

Tell Margaret to hurry and get well, and the rest keep well, and for John to write me what he is doing, one apiece from the rest of you, too.

Have not received Xmas package yet but I guess it will come.

Am working in the kitchen every day, but would rather do that for a while than drill. Had snow here today, but it is not cold enough for it to stay on, but it is not so muddy as France.

Well I guess this is enough for once with another next week. Hoping you are all in the best of health, as I am, and Good Luck.

Your loving son,
FRANK McDOUGAL,
Co. F, 16th Inft.

E. F. Wolfert today sold his 160 acres five miles east of the city to C. J. Grundel of Council Bluffs, Ia. Mr. Grundel to take possession March 1. The new owner is a brother of F. M. Grundel living east of Maryville.

MRS. J. F. BEATTIE IS DEAD

Passes Away Last Night at St. Francis hospital—Leaves Five Days Old Infant.

Mrs. J. F. Beattie of Omaha, Neb., a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shopbell of Pickering, died last night at St. Francis hospital in this city.

No arrangements will be made for the funeral until the arrival of Mr. Beattie who was on a business trip in Dakota at the time of his wife's death. Mrs. Beattie leaves a five days' old baby. Previous to her marriage Mrs. Beattie was Miss Lela Shopbell.

She is survived by her husband, parents, infant child, and three sisters, Mrs. Clint McMullen of this city, Mrs. Verne Dickson of Denver, Colo., and Miss Lenore Shopbell of Pickering.

COMPANY'S COMING

WHITE HOUSE IS BEING REDECORATED AND BEAUTIFIED

VISITORS FROM EUROPE

Presents Received by the Wilsons Will Form a Permanent Exhibit in One of the Basement Rooms.

Washington, Feb. 18.—For the first time in six years, since President Woodrow Wilson occupied the White House, it is being redecorated and beautified and, incidentally, it is taking on an air of splendor never equalled during the regime of a former President.

The historic East Room, used during the war as a motion picture theatre for the President and Mrs. Wilson, where they saw war films and an occasional comedy, is being redecorated and handsomely furnished. About all that will remain of the former furnishings is a handsome gold embossed piano, placed there by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt. Where the white screen for motion pictures was hung a handsome Gobelin tapestry rich in red and gold, measuring 18 by 18 feet, has been suspended. It was a gift to President Wilson from the French high commission. On either side of it stand two massive blue vases, recently presented to the President by the Japanese mission. The walls are being newly covered with a light blue velvet in place of the painted walls which formerly graced the room.

The Blue Room, where Mrs. Wilson receives her guests and has tea, pretty badly faded both as to the upholstering of the furniture and the walls, is being made again into a symphony of cerulean blue. The Red Room, where the President held his regular weekly meetings of his war cabinet and received his daily callers, is much the worses for constant wear. When the President returns it will be completely made over.

The upper floors of the White House where the President and Mrs. Wilson make their home, require little attention as to refurnishings and decorations, but several of the many rooms are being made over into more regal style in anticipation of royal visitors from Europe who will naturally visit the United States, and as a matter of course be guests of the President.

On the lower floor, or basement, seen by most visitors when the White House is opened, many changes are being made. Since the White House was closed for repairs a new set of china has been added to the collection of former presidents. Strange to say, it is the only set since George Washington contributed his that has been made in America. It suffers none by comparison with Sevres and Haviland. It is heavy in burnished gold and blue enamel, and in the centre in embossed gold is the seal of the United States.

One of the rooms in the basement, probably one of the chambers now used as a reception room, is being cleaned out and made ready to receive many of the presents being showered on the President by the peoples and the governments of Europe. Of course, the more handsome of the paintings and the tapestries will find a place in the East Room and the main rooms of the first floor, but there are hundreds of war souvenirs which will form a part of the permanent exhibit of the relics of presidents on the basement floor.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph yesterday to Clarence Carmichael of Mound City and Miss Ada Yates of Burlington Juntion.

FAVOR BOND ISSUE

HOUSE ROADS AND HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE MAKES REPORT

AN AMENDMENT ADDED

The 60 Million Bond Proposal Provides for Equal Distribution of Funds to Counties.

The proposal the voters of Missouri be asked to authorize a 60 million dollar bond issue, to be used in building a state system of hard surfaced roads, has been reported favorably by the roads and highways committee of the house, with an amendment requiring the moneys be expended upon a mileage basis in each county so that every county will share equally if the bond issue is voted.

The bond issue plan, first introduced in the house by Representative J. Allen Prewit of Jackson County, is in the form of a constitutional amendment to be voted upon at the November election in 1920. It is proposed that the legislature be authorized to issued bonds not to exceed 60 million dollars in amount, to bear interest at 4½ per cent, payable in thirty years, but redeemable in ten years. The bonds are to be employed in constructing an inter-county seat highway system, the system to be designated by the legislature if that body so desires; if not, bu the state highway department. Provision is made for paying the bonds out of the motor car license money, together with a state road tax not to exceed twenty cents on each $100 valuation of property.

The Morgan-McCullough plan provides that each county will get proportionate share of the state and federal road moneys, which shall be based upon the mileage, without any outlay whatever except the cost of making state road surveys and the construction of bridges or culverts which are more than twenty feet in length.

The Morgan-McCullough bills will provide for a state system of roads which will cross each county in the general direction of north and south and east and west. They estimate that these state roads will comprise about 6,000 miles.

Their plan contemplates the expenditure for grading roads, reducing hills and building permanent culverts during the next three years of $7,800,000, of which $3,900,000 will come from the state and $3,900,000 from the federal road funds.

All that a county must do to get its mileage pro rata of the $7,800,000 fund is to survey its east-west and north-south roads, or adopt roads which meet the requirements and arrange for the construction of any bridges or culverts exceeding twenty feet in length.

The average county under the plan would, upon the basis of state road mileage, receive between $60,000 and $100,000, or about $1,200 a mile with which to grade its state roads, reduce its hills, and build culverts up to twenty feet in length.

BARNUM WAS RIGHT

Evidence That a "Sucker Is Born Every Minute" Is Given Proof.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 18.—George H. Gauthier testified in court that he was troubled with fits and that he went to Miss Mary Guy, of Lynn, for treatment. She told him to break an egg in a handkerchief and to carry it in his pocket two weeks. If that didn't cure him, he testified, Miss Guy told him to wrap himseslf in red silk and sit on a white cloth for an hour. He paid her $250 for the advice and did all she told him to do, but was not cured of his affliction. Then he brought suit.

To State Convention.

L. B. Tracy, head of the shoe department of the Alderman-Yehle store left this morning for Kansas City to attend the Retail Shoe Dealers Convention. During his absence Chester Lyle, formerly employed in the store, will take Mr. Tracy's place. Mrs. Tracy accompanied her husband.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued today:

Raymond R. Curnutt of Barnard, and Ottie Belle Meeker of Stanberry.

Glen Spangler of Burlington Junction and Myrtle Hutchings of Elmo.

Henry August Boedeker of Ravenwood and Elizabeth Henggeler of Conception.

TO BE NO 5TH LIBERTY LOAN

Under Tentative Agreement Short Term Notes Will Be Issued, Congress to Name Rate.

Washington, Feb. 18.—There will be no Fifth Liberty Loan under the agreement tentatively reached this afternoon by the house ways and means committee in conference with Secretary Glass. Instead of a loan, short term notes will be issued and upon these congress will set the rate of interest.

RUSSIAN PROBLEMS PUZZLE

Peace Delegates Unable to Reach an Agreement to Restore Conditions. —Bolshevikl Army Grows.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Serbian questions were taken up by the "Big Five" powers this afternoon without any conclusions having been reached by the delegates in their discussions of Russian problems yesterday. All delegates agree to urgently bring about settled conditions in Russia, but no definite plan has yet been decided on. The Entente military powers stated that the Bolshevik army was now stronger than when the invitation was issued to the various Russian factional governments to enter into a conference on Prince's Island. Premier Lenine's forces are said to have advanced everywhere except against the Esthonians.

BORAH DECLINES TO ATTEND

Turns Down President Wilson's Invitation to White House Dinner to Discuss League of Nations.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Senator Borah of Idaho, Republican member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee today declined President Wilson's invitation to attend the White House dinner February 26, when the League of Nations will be discussed. The Idaho senator in a letter pointed out that in accordance with custom such gatherings are regarded as strictly confidential and that he did not feel justified in accepting any information that he could not pass on to his colleagues or that he might not use in debate.

BEWARE OF POTATO WART.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Warning that the potato wart, one of the most dangerous diseases of potatoes which has again made its appearance in the United States, was sent broadcast today by Secretary Houston.

WILSON RESTS ON VOYAGE.

On Board the George Washington, Feb. 18.—The weather cleared during last night and today was bright and warm. President Wilson, taking advantage of the change walked on deck for exercise. The President continued to get all the rest possible, following his arduous peace labors in Paris. The ship was expected to pass the Azores today.

A YANK GUARD TO BERLIN.

Basle, Switzerland, Feb. 18.—American troops will be sent into Berlin to guard the food sent into that city by the United States, said a dispatch from that city today.

SPARTACIDES ACTIVE AGAIN.

Munich, Feb. 18.—Headquarters of the Munich army that commands the telegraph and telephone stations and several newspaper plants were seized by the Spartacides today. Machine guns were planted in the windows of the army buildings to sweep the adjacent streets.

CUT GERMAN ARMY TO 25,000.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Germany's future army will probably be limited to 25,000 soldiers by the new armistice terms and the war plants in Germany will be put under Allied control, according to information secured from authoritative sources here.

Here From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Theadore Ray of Chugwater, Wyo., are visiting in Maryville with Mr. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ray of South Main street.

...AT NEEDLESS LOSS

GOV. ALLEN MAKES CHARGES THAT 5TH LACKED SUPPORT

KNEW THE END WAS NEAR

But in Spite of the Fact Americans Pushed on After Fleeing Germans Only Meet Heavy Casualties.

Washington, Feb. 18.—American soldiers who were killed in the last few hours of fighting before the armistice was signed "were needlessly sacrificed," Governor Allen of Kansas told the senate committee today. All the Allied forces knew seventy-two hours before the armistice terms were signed that it would end the war, he said, but nevertheless, they pushed onward, the American forces playing the most vigorous part in the final offensive at "needless sacrifice." Although the Germans were retreating, they nevertheless rained heavy shell fire on the Americans and they suffered considerable casualties, declared Governor Allen. The governor read to the committee a letter from Col. Carl Ristine of the 139th Infantry, 35th Division, in which he said that some one would tell the truth to congress.

The figures given the committee by General March were replacements in the 35th division and could not accurately indicate that number of casualties, the speaker said.

He roughly estimated the killed in action and died of wounds in the 35th at 1,700.

When the governor finished his statement members of the committee asked him if he would suggest the committee make a trip to the Argonne forest and there view the scenes and be better able to conduct an investigation. Allen replied he thought all the evidence could be brought here and that such a trip would not be necessary.

TO GIVE SECRET INFORMATION.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Secret information which will not be included in his speeches at New York and Boston, will be given to members of the house and senate foreign relations committee by President Wilson at the White House dinner to be held on his return to Washington.

Sheriff Gets a Present.

Sheriff John F. Dodwen provided himself with a pocketfull of cigars today in order that he might properly display a handsome sparker that adorns his left hand. The stone is a present from a friend in California.

Weekly Meeting Tonight.

The regular weekly meeting and luncheon of the directors of the Commercial Club will be held this evening at the Bainum Hotel. Several matters of importance will be up for discussion and consideration.

Will Judge Debate.

Supt. Bert Cooper and Prof. Harry A. Miller will go to Ravenwood Thursday night where they will act as judges in the debate between the Ravenwood and Barnard schools to be held there.

Visiting in Chicago.

Miss Anna Blatter left last night for Chicago, Ill., to visit her cousin, John Blatter and family. She will also visit relatives at Springfield and New Berlin, Ill., before returning.

The cotton handkerchiefs supplied to French soldiers have printed upon them a number of sanitary precepts to be observed on the march and during a campaign.

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness tonight and warmer; Wednesday unsettled, possibly rain.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11c and 17c

Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature,

GLADYS LESLIE, in

"A Nymph *of the* Foothills"

Also Sunshine Comedy.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector for Polk township, suubject to the action of the Democratic nominating committee.

S. B. WILLIAMS.

For Township Collector.

I hereby announce my candidacy for he office of collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the republican nominating convention.

ELMER W. BARROCK.

For Township Collector

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector of Polk township, subject to e action of the Republican nominating convention.

LEWIS E. WHITE.

For Township Collector.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

FRANK G. SHOEMAKER.

For Township Colelctor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of collector of Polk ownship, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

HERSCHEL E. WILES.

For Township Collector.

HOWARD ("DICK") STRONG hereby announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of Collector of Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

For Township Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor of Polk township subject to the action of the Democratic township convention.

ROBERT ALEY.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. Pierce for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

FOR TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

ANDY H. PRIDE.

THE 'COOT MIT UNS' FOR YANKS.

Occupation Forces Have Set Up the "Order of the Cootie."

Coblenz, Feb. 18.—The "Order of the Cootie" was recently organized among American forces on the Rhine. Beneath the crest, showing a cootie rampant, are the words:

"Coot mit uns."

Only veterans of three months' scratching experience are eligible.

FINE FOR RHEUMATISM!

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

Townsend's

4th and Main St.

TWO DAYS SPECIAL SALE

Wednesday and Thursday

10c bars P. & G. White Naptha Soap, 2 for.....13c
Large bars Ivory Soap....10c
Flake Hominy, any quantity, per lb 5c
Best grade Stick Candy, lb 25c
Gal. cans Calif. Plums in Sirup 80c
No. 1 tall cans Alaska Salmon 19c
No. 1 tall cans Fancy Red Salmon 27c
½ gal. pails Maple Sirup..75c
5 lb pails pure Peanut Butter 95c
Peet Bros. Crystal White Laundry Soap—There is no better soap sold than Crystal White, per bar.....5c
Pancake Flour (large pkg. self-rising) 10c
Gal. cans Sliced Pine Apple in sirup 95c
3 large cakes Sweet Chocolate 25c
Calif. Lima Beans, any quantity, lb 15c
Pearl Hominy, bulk, lb.....5c
Pure Peach Jam, No. 1 cans 22c
No. 2's for 33c
California Seedless Raisins, bulk, 4 lbs.....50c
California Seeded Raisins, per pkg. 10c
No. 1 cans Asparagus.....15c
No. 1 cans Pork and Beans good quality 10c
No. 2 cans Pork and Beans good quality 15c
Catsup, all the best brands, 30c and 35c large bottles 25c
New Post Toasties, per pkg. 12c
Toasted Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. 25c
Best Comb Honey, big frames 40c
100 lb sacks Royal Poultry Feed $3.65
Mexican Beans, lb.....10c
12 lbs for $1.00
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 2½, 5 or 10 lb sacks, lb.....9c

Extra Good Eating Apples and Sound Ben Davis Cooking Apples.

Fresh Parsnips, Carrots or Solid Cabbage, 6 lbs....25c
12 lbs Cabbage for boiling 25c
Shelled Rice Popcorn, per lb 10c
No. 3 cans Pumpkin, 1918 pack, good quality.....10c
Fresh Eggs, dozen.....30c
Troco Butter Substitute, made from fresh cocoanuts, churned in pasturized cream, per lb 33c

48-lb sacks
FANCY CREAM FLOUR
A superior flour, once used, always wanted. If it's genuine Fancy Cream our name is on the sack.
Price for single sacks
—$2.75—
Get our quantity price.

Crystal White Soap Flakes (like Lux) 9c
Rolled White Oats, large pkg. 25c
Rolled White Oats, regular 15c pkg. 10c
Pure Sorghum, qt.....25c
Half gallon 50c
Gallon $1.00
Qt. cans Asparagus Cuts ..25c

40 Years Ago Today

(From the files of the Nodaway Democrat).

Dawson & Roseberry have been appointed attorneys for the St. Louis and Omaha road at this place.

It is estimated that by September 1 that cars will be running into Maryville on the St Louis air line.

Squire Parcher has his card in this week's paper. He is always at his place of business and gives prompt attention to all matters entrusted to his care.

Elder Rufus Smith will speak on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in front of Hosmer's Auction House on the rights of liquor sellers and liquor drinkers.

Read Charlie Lippman's new advertisement. He talks furniture right along. Charles is an enterprising young man and will give you good bargains.

W. M. Wright and John Signs have leased the room adjoining Hasting's book store and will open out to the public a stock of clothing between the 10th and 15th of next month.

Chief engineer Emerson of the St. Louis and Omaha road has leased an office over Kuenster's store, and will make Maryville his headquarters during the construction of the road.

It is now becoming quite customary for our young ladies and gents to banter each other to go before a minister and be married, and the young gentlemen, we are happy to say, have not backed down in a single instance.

The following sums in stocks and grain transactions have been paid through the Farmers Bank, this city, between the dates of October 1, 1878 and February 17, 1879: Cattle, $65,804; hogs, $10,705; grain, $42,525, making a total of $229,034.

L. I. White left last Monday for Jefferson City, where he will appear before Judge Kellp and apply for a writ to restrain the town board of Maryville from enforcing their ordinances. Lafe Dawson has been employed by the board to defend the town in our circuit court in the event of an injunction being granted.

Now is the time to buy goods at the Baltimore Clothing House. M. Nus- election to be held Tuesday, March 25, of cost, in order to make room for the spring season.

Unimproved land can be purchased in Nodaway county now at prices ranging from five to ten dollars per acre, depending on location, etc. But little over one-fourth the land in the county is under cultivation.

A jitney will take our pump repair man to your trouble in a hurry. Phone 64. 18-22.

ILLINOIS COAL.

You have talked a plenty about it—we have to to sell, all you want. The Shoemaker-Bovard Co., that give service. 17-19*

Nearly $45,000,000 worth of vehicles, harness, forage and raw materials were shipped to the American expeditionary forces from the beginning of the war to Dec. 1, 1918.

The British government ras decided to retain the present organization for the sale of national war bonds and war savings certificates as a permanent part of the national machinery.

Phone six-four for quick service pump and windmill work. 18-22.

HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

The excruciating agonies of rheumatism are usually the result of failure of the kidneys to expel poisons from the system. If the irritation of these uric acid crystals is allowed to continue, incurable bladder or kidney disease may result. Attend to it at once. Don't resort to temporary relief. The sick kidneys must be restored to health by the use of some sterling remedy which will prevent a return of the disease.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. They have brought back the joys of life to countless thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel and other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs.

They will attack the poisons at once, clear out the kidneys and urinary tract and the soothing healing oils and herbs will restore the inflamed tissues and organs to normal health.

All others are imitations. Ask for GOLD MEDAL and be sure the name GOLD MEDAL is on the box. Three sizes, at all good druggists.

AN ALBANY WAR FLIER HOME

Lt. McElvain Was Shot Down Behind German Lines and Captured on August 1, 1918.

Albany, Mo., Feb. 18.—Clifford McElvain, first lieutenant, U. S. A., son of Joseph McElvain and wife of this city, arrived home yesterday afternoon from Germany where he had been a prisoner of war from Aug. 1, 1918, to Nov. 29th. The local band and perhaps 1,500 people met him at the station.

On August 1 a squadron of eight American planes passed over the German lines and all were shot down and Lieutenant McElvain was captured Doubtless the others were killed as no report concerning them has ever been made. On landing he found a score or more of soldiers with bayonets fixed to receive him. An officer came up, talked a few moments, gave him a cigarette and then took him to the rear in an automobile. He was placed in a dungeon in solitary confinement for thirty days and after that he lived in a tent.

Mr. McElvain entered the first officers' training camp at Funston, won a commission and sailed for France in March, 1918.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

It was back three or four hundred pages of history ago when the Chinese discovered that roast pork was so delicious that they broke their food treaties with Confucious. It didn't take the folks of this town long to discover that this is the shop to buy a loin of pork.

Watch for Mr. Happy Party.

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New Spring
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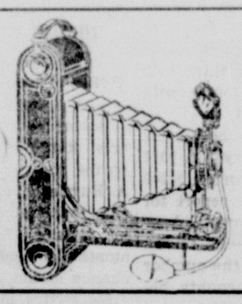

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Also good quality Rubber Boots at

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And Corned Beef, well give it a trial, you'll be back for more.

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Use More Paint in Your Home

HOME will mean more to you, if you do. There isn't any excuse for having a lot of old chromos sitting around. You know they mar the whole appearance of the room. Make them modern with Heath & Milligan Sunshine Finishes. You can turn that old oak bedroom set white enamel or renew the original color and lustre of odd pieces of furniture. Do the little jobs yourself—when it comes to floors and woodwork employ a good painter.

There's no investment in the home that gives so much satisfaction to the eye as painting. It's cheaper to renew than to buy new. If you want lasting results use paints that are cheapest in the end. Come where you see the above sign. It's your guide.

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MARYVILLE.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

School Children Have Party.

The children of Hazel Dell school, near Graham, were given a Valentine party Friday afternoon by their teacher, Miss Claire Davis. The school room was decorated with whit hearts and cupids and progressive hearts and other Valentine games were played. Mr. and Mrs. Hill were visitors and brought the children some delicious home made candy which was a delight to them. The girl's prize in the games was won by Mary Hicks and the boy's by William Hill.

Lyles Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle were the hosts at a dinner given Sunday noon when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Watson and son, Robert Harvey Watson, who is home on a furlough from Fort Riley, Kan., Miss Mary Watson, Miss Mildred Evans and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Alderman.

Surprise Dinner Party.

The United Workers Red Cross Auxiliary gave Mrs. Charles Blagg, one of their instructors, a dinner surprise last Wednesday at her home southwest of the city. The Blaggs are leaving that neighborhood soon and the auxiliary held this gathering as a farewell pleasure. A fine dinner which the guests brought was served at noon and those present were Mrs. J. C. Clayton, Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. Mark Mood, Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mrs. R. P. Yeaman, Mrs. Wilbert Briggs, and daughters, Beth and Frances, Mrs. Fred Lyle and daughter, Mary Margaret; Mrs. O. K. Smith and son, Charles Henry; Mrs. Ernest Yeaman and Misses Nan Fannon, Marie Thompson, Helen and Irene Blagg.

Club Department Meets.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. M. Chandler on West Second St., devoting the afternoon to reed work.

Social at St. Patrick's.

The women of St. Patrick's parish will give a social in the church hall tonight. There will be games and refreshments.

Observes Eighth Birthday.

Mary Esther, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Loucks of Skidmore, celebrated her birthday anniversary yesterday and in the evening her mother entertained some of her little friends with a supper party. The table was attractive with decorations of pink and white, the centerpiece being a white birthday cake on which were eight lighted pink candles. The children present were Glen, Katherine, and Helen Jackson, Beulah and Virginia Miller, Mary and Stoy Williams, Evelyn and Harold Monk, Bettie Rose Kemp and Mary Esther and Velma Loucks.

CHILDREN

Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply the "outside" treatment—

VICK'S VAPORUB

"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, $1.20

Our Jewelry Clearing Sale

is still going on—every article of gold and silver jewelry, table ware, flat ware, clocks, watches, etc., at

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WATCH ALL THOSE $10 BILLS

They May Be $1 Issues Raised, Says Fred Tate, Chief of Kansas City Secret Service Office.

No counterfeiter and no note raiser ever eluded secret service agents and the United States treasury department for any lengthy period of time.

Wherefore take a look at the $10 bill in your pocket, granting you belong to that fortunate class of plutocrats who possess this commodity.

You may have in your possession a raised Kansas City Federal Reserve bank note for 1918 and thereby be an innocent, though technical violator of a federal statute.

Unless the grave countenance of Andrew Jackson looks out from the background, there is serious question of the authenticity of your decimal paper money.

Should you find yourself looking at the austere bust of George Washington the 10 is not a "10-spot," but a "bean," to speak colloqually, and somewhere is a man with the other $9 who sooner or later will face the federal authorities under the act of congress against making false money.

Note raising, since the issuance of the 1918 federal reserve bank notes, has become frequent according to Fred Tate, chief of the secret service at Kansas City.

Usually, it is the bank which is the loser.

But whoever the holder, his first duty upon discovery of a false bill is to call the secret service department.

"Don't pass it along," warns Mr. Tate. "Two wrongs do not make a right. It is a public duty to report the counterfeit or the raised bill."

Here are the signs by which the authenticity of a bill may be judged.

$1—head of George Washington.
$2—head of Thomas Jefferson.
$5—head of Abraham Lincoln.
$10—head of Andrew Jackson.
$20—head of Grover Cleveland.
$50—head of Ulysses S. Grant.
$100—head of Benjamin Franklin.

Counterfeits and note raisers operate less in Kansas City than in outlying territory, Mr. Tate declares.

W.C.T. U. RECONSTRUCTION WORK

Peace Fund Campaign in Vigorous Swing all Over State.

The Peace Fund Campaign of the Missouri Woman's Christian Temperance Union is in full swing. Each county and local union is in a friendly rivalry to be first to "go over the top" with its portion of the $50,000. Most encouraging reports come in as the drive progresses.

The general public and friends who are aiding with work and contributions deeply appreciate the splendid reconstruction work for which the fund is to be used. It will benefit every citizen of Missouri.

As ratification is accomplished, law enforcement will be given much attention. Letters and telegrams must be sent to representatives in the interest of the Act to Enforce Prohibition in Missouri after January 16, 1920. This act is House Bill No. 335, Senate Bill No. 301. Also the Child Code laws must be urged as a part of W. C. T. U. child welfare work. We are not loyal Americans to adopt hundreds of French orphans and neglect Missouri's unfortunate children.

There will be moral education for the older children, as well as infants. Many tragedies could be written in letters of blood as a result of the unusual freedom of young girls near army camps, and the glamor of the uniform. There is patient and tactful work for the W. C. T. U. to correct these mistakes, and firmly plan one standard of morals for both sexes and help inexperienced and unprotected girls.

These are just a few of the items that need financing with the reconstruction fund.

Each citizen may have a part in this good work by making a contribution now.

A PAPER BY BOYS FOR BOYS

Loren and Donald Reid, Sons of Former Maryville Man Are Publishers of "The Wigwam."

Loren and Donald Reid of Gilman City, Mo., sons of Dudley A. Reid, formerly of Maryville, are only 13 and 10 years old, respectively, but they are publishers of a real newspaper. Moreover, they are the editors and the printers—in fact, the whole force of the Wigwam.

It is "a paper by boys for boys." The first issue appeared last month and another is about due for the press now. All the stories and editorials in the little publication were written and set up by the two lads. Loren is trying his hand at a continued story with alluring title of "The Face at the Window."

The father of the boys is Dudley A. Reid, publisher of the Gilman City Guide, and the youngsters fairly have been reared in a printing shop. Loren early displayed an unusual precocity, knowing all the letters of the alphabet and the marks of punctuation by the time he was 2 years old. He began to read when he was just past 4 and was in the Third Reader by the time most boys are entering school. He is in the Gilman City high school now.

The boys are greatly interested in the Boy Scout movement. Gilman City has no Scout organization, but the youngsters are trying to make up for the lack and the Wigwam is calculated to interest young Scouts and would-be Scouts.

It might be said in behalf of the Wigwam that its first edition was all sold out and many calls for it could not be supplied. Its editors promise that the next issue will be larger and even more interesting than the first, which shows that they have one of the prime editorial qualifications.

In a letter to the Democrat-Forum Loren says: "Donald was born in your city in 1908. I am three years older than Donald. I was only five years old when I left there, but I still remember a few things about Maryville. I may visit Maryville this summer and if I do I will hunt you up."

Look out for Spanish Influenza.

At the first sign of a cold take

CASCARA QUININE — HILL'S BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Make Ready for Spring

How About Your Walls? Don't You need some new paper to brighten up for the Spring season?

With the thought of Spring comes the thought of house cleaning, remodeling and making the surroundings to harmonize with the Spring spirit. And of course, one of the first things is the wall covering, Draperies and floor coverings.

Our stock of new Spring wall paper, curtains, draperies, rugs and linoleums are arriving and being placed in stock and they are sure to meet with your approval.

Wall Paper

Of special importance at this time is our unusual assortment of beautiful wall papers.

The plain papers, tapestry effects ,chintz patterns, striped effects and Tiffany in rich Spring tones.

Papers suitable for Bed Rooms, Dining Rooms, Living Rooms, Kitchen, Bath Room, Halls and Nursery.

Priced per roll.....10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c and up

SEE DISPLAY IN WEST SHOW WINDOW.

Pie Social Postponed.

The box and pie social to be given on the night of February 15 at the East Star school has been postponed until Friday night, Feb. 22.

If it is a new pump you need, or a windmill, or an engine, or repairs for any of them telephone us or come in and see us. Phone 64. Lowry Hardware & Implement Co. 18-22

Kenneth Hull, the small son of J. F. Hull, editor of the Tribune, and Mrs. Hull, is critically ill.

Moved to New Location.

The Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co. is now located in their new home in the Craig building, first door north of the Orear-Henry Drug store, having moved from the building north of the Nodaway Valley Bank. New fixtures and new furniture have been purchased for their store.

Supper at Shell Grove.

There will be a box supper Friday night at the Shell Grove school. Miss Dollie Hughbanks is teacher of the district.

Leaves for Oklahoma.

Mrs. Walter Wray and son, Donald, left yesterday for Ada, Okla., to join Mr. Wray who went there several weeks ago. Mr. Wray is in the automobile business there.

Mrs. Wiles Home.

Mrs. T. A. Wiles returned home Sunday from a three months visit at Muskogee, Okla., with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Rimel, and her sister, Mrs. Eugene Graves.

Pumps repaired, phone 64. 18-22

A Business Devoted Exclusively to the Sale and Repair of

Tires

We carry the largest stock of new and rebuilt tires in Northwest Missouri. We have your size when you want it.

By repairing and rebuilding thousands of them, we have gained a thorough knowledge of tires that is to be had in no other way.

Based on this experience we selected from all others, MOHAWK and FIRESTONE Tires. Today they are the best tire values on the market.

We rebuild and sell a low-priced tire that gives mileage far in excess of its cost. It is built up from good standard carcasses with the best materials obtainable, and guaranteed for the same mileage as new tires, in proportion to cost.

If your tires need repairing or retreading, no shop is equipped to give you better or quicker service.

Whatever your tire needs may be, we are prepared to care for them, efficiently and promptly.

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Classified ads running three days o. more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money w.th the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Whese prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FARMS FOR SALE—60 to 70 miles south of Kansas City in Bates county, Mo., which is one of the eight Banner counties of the state in the production of grains and hay. Good improvements, smooth land and good soil. Prices $65 to $110 per acre. Eugene Rathbun, Maryville, Mo. J31tf

EGGS—S. C. Buff Leghorns, $1.00 per 15, or $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Chas. DeNeen. Farmers phone 13-16* 12-18*

FOR SALE—30 head of shoats, 6 miles west of town. W. E. Bright. 13-15*

FOR SALE—About 75 bushels spring wheat. C. L. Wells, Far. 230-16. 15-18*

FOR SALE—About 200 bu. of corn. Sherman Scott, Hopkins, Mo., Route No. 5. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Team of mules, weight 2900, four years old. Sow and 7 shoats, mower, rake, disc, and cultivator if sold this week. Priced to sell. Call Farmers phone 8-18. 15-18*

FOR SALE—An improved 64 acres, three and one-half miles south east of city. Price $195 per acre. Anyone selling this farm and closing up the deal is entitled to 1 per cent commission. Price good for acceptance until Feb. 23. For further information call or see Allen Brothers, the Land Men. 17-19.

FOR SALE—Baled clover ray, ½ mile west Rockford church. W. C. Hogan, Far. 38-14. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Some extra good farm teams; gelding, mare or mule teams, broke or unbroke. A big bunch to select from. C. H. Caldwell, Burlington Junction, Mo. 13-19

FOR SALE—50 head fall shoats, weigh from 60 to 70 lbs. Frank O'Riley, 2 miles southeast of Maryville. 18-20*

FOR SALE—Good brood sow and four shoats, and Old Trusty 100-egg incubator. Mrs. H. Edwards, 1119 East Fourth St. 18-20

EGGS FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorns, $4.50 per 100. Mrs. Joe M. Henderson, Barnard R 3 Phone 1105. 18-20*

FOR SALE—11 shoats, weigring about 100 lbs. Call Farmers 2-19. Peter Behm. 18-20*

BUFF ROCKS—I have for sale a few good Buff Plymouth Rock cockerels. F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Mo. 18-24

FOR RENT

WANTED TO RENT—I want to rent a 5 to 7 room house with barn, chicken park, and from 1 lot to 80 acres of ground in or near Maryville. Marian F. Smith, Democrat-Forum Agent. Farmers phone 51-20, or phone Frank Wallace, Hanamo 273.

FOR RENT—School girl who desires room mate and nice room, with privilege of light housekeeping, may procure such place by inquiring at 616 North Fillmore, or call Hanamo 6667. tf

FOR RENT—6 room house on East 4th street, and 5 room house in southeast Maryville, both have basements. Also Ford touring and Buick 4 for sale. Bert Hiatt, Han. 3721, Far. 127-15. 15-18*

FOR RENT—5 room house, good garden spot. 612 South Market. Call 52-0-12 Farmers. 17-19*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Elderly lady to do housework, by the day. Call Hanamo 340. 17-19

SPRING WHEAT—I have for sale about 150 bu. of Marquis spring wheat, good quality; see sample at my office. F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Mo. 18-24

STRAYED—Poland-China sow, from farm 5 miles south of city. Please notify Fred Gray, Hanamo 25Y 18-20*

Miss Barmann Returns.

Miss Pearl Barmann returned to her home in Savannah this morning after a few days visit in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmann.

Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Citizens Bank of Graham, will be held at the office of said bank in Graham, Mo., Tuesday, March 4, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. B. GEX, President,
J. M. WILSON, Cashier.

Obituary.

James Giffin was born in Indiana, Feb. 27, 1842, and departed from this life, at his home four miles west of Barnard, Friday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 in tre morning, age 76 years, 11 months and 15 days. September 2, 1868, he was united in marriage to Lucy Van Cleve. The following year they moved to Nodaway county, Mo., locating close to where he died. This union was blessed with three children. Early in life he professed faith in Christ as his personal Savior, and united with the Presbyterian church, of which he was an elder. He was one of the strong pillars of tre church and remained a faithful member until the end. For several years past he was not able to attend church, owing to his physical condition. Almost one year ago he was compelled to take to his bed. During this siege of sickness, he was a patient sufferer, and bore it all with Christian fortitude, waiting patiently for the final summons, in which he lived in readiness. He was a noble character, an untiring worker, and highly esteemed by his many friends. As a husband re was loving, and kind, a father that was true and affectionate, and a neighbor of sterling worth.

Besides his wife, who shared of his sorrows and partook o his trials for over fifty years, he leaves to mourn, three children, Mrs. Jean Kellogg, and Ralph, both of Barnard, and Mrs. Emma Allen of Waurica, Okla., besides many relatives, as well as a host of friends. The funeral service was conducted from the home, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15, at 1:30, Rev. Arthur S. Olsen, pastor of tre Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. Interment was in the Barnard Masonic cemetery, where he was tenderly laid to rest.

Revelation that liquor and drugs accounted for only 1.3 per cent of the physical disqualifications under the draft law hardly bears out the alarmist claims of the reformers that, this was becoming a nation of wricks.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steers, $12@$16; cows, $6@$14.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; top, $17.85; bulk, $17.15@$17.65.

St. Joseph, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; top, $17.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500—strong.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	27c
Cream, per pound	42c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c to 25c
Young Roosters per pound	18c
Old Roosters and Stags	14
Butter, per pound	39c

The estimated age of mature big trees in California ranges from 500 to 2,500 years, though some may be several thousand years old. The next oldest at maturity are the redwoods, but several pines range from 300 to 500. The oldest big tree is thought to be about 7,000 years from a seed.

1,500,000 FRENCH KILLED.

An Atlantic Port.—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and as many wounded. America owes France an enormous debt of gratitude for this heroic outpouring of her life's blood and also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country and throughout the world through the discovery by French peasants of a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments which, it is said, has relieved incalculable suffering and prevented thousands of surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, prominent Chicago chemist, imports the ingredients and sells this remedy in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Maryville druggists and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Our Want Ads. work like a charm.

FOR SALE.

40 2-year-old heifers. Price to sell this week. Sell 20 or all.

ERNEST LYON,
Farmers Phone 28-15.

EAGLE VALLEY BLISS TRIUMPH SEED POTATOES FOR SALE.

One of the earliest and heaviest yielding potatoes known. It is round in shape, with a pinkish colored jacket and the cooking qualities are superior to any other early potato known today.

Price, freight paid:

1 bushel	$2.50
Bbl. of 3 bushels	$7.00
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Dress pleating, hemstitching, and picot edging, cloth covered buttons. Prompt service in all departments. Mail orders received one day will be returned the next.

Write for price list.

212 N. 7th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

COMING.

I have now in transit a car of genuine Franklin County, Illinois coal, bought of Berry Bergs Coal Co., St. Louis. Watch the Want Ads of this paper. A. S. ROBEY. 15-18*

Auto Radiators Repaired

By
E. W. HEIDEMAN
Opposite Post Office.

We will be looking for

You at Our
NEW LOCATION
Across the street west of the Post Office.

B. A. Frost,
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RAW FURS

I WANT THOUSANDS OF SKINS — MUSKRAT, RACCOON, MINK, CIVET, SKUNK and ALL OTHER KINDS OF FURS; GUARANTEE 5% ABOVE ANY PUBLISHED LIST. I CAN USE SEVERAL HUNDRED POUNDS OF DRY RABBIT SKINS AT FANCY PRICES. SEE ME BEFORE YOU SELL.

CHAS. A. JENSEN, MARYVILLE, MO.

Closing Out Public Sale

As I am moving to a smaller farm, I will sell at the Preston Seafers farm, better known as the Jim Palmer place 9¾ miles north and east of Maryville and 2 miles west of Harmony church, on

Thursday, February 20

beginning at 10 a. m., the following described property, to wit:

11 HORSES AND MULES—1 team of mares 7 and 8 years old; 1 team of gray mares 5 and 6 years old, in foal; 1 team of 3 year old mules, broke; 1 team of horses, sorrel and black, 3 and 4 years old, and the rest are young mules, good ones.

12 HEAD OF MILCH COWS—Six cows giving milk now and some will be fresh by day of sale and others are with calf; some are extra good milkers; also four yearlings—three heifers and one steer.

14 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—Weight about 125 lbs, and all are immuned.

LOT OF GRAIN AND HAY—400 or 500 bushels of corn; 800 bushels of extra good seed oats; 5 tons clover hay and some oat straw.

One New Dodge Car, 1917 Model.

LOT OF FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 Deering grain binder, good as new; 1 McCormick corn binder; 1 New Century riding cultivator; 1 Busy Bee riding cultivator; 1 McCormick hay stacker; 1 bull rake; 1 Osborn hay rake; 1 low wheel wagon and rack; 1 set 1¾ inch harness; 1 set single harness.

Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention. LUNCH will be served on the ground by Harmony Red Cross.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time given with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed till terms of sale have been complied with.

CHAS. EVANS, Auct.
FAY CASTEEL, Clerk.

Leslie Griffey

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will hold a closing out sale at my residence 4½ miles southeast of Pickering, and 2½ miles due west of Orrsburg, on

Friday February 21

55—HEAD OF STOCK—55

9 HEAD OF HORSES—Bay horse 11 years old, weight 1250, broke gentle, single and double; bay horse, smooth mouth blind, a No. 1 work horse, weight 1250; black mare 10 years old, gentle, wt. 1250; bay horse coming 5 years old, wt. 1350; horse coming 4 years old, wt. 1250; coming 3-year-old bay mare; coming 2-year-old horse; pair black geldings, coming 3 years old, wt. about 2200.

16 HEAD OF CATTLE—Five head of cows, from 4 to 6 years old; 3 head coming 3 year old cows; coming 2-year-old heifer. These cows are all good Shorthorn stuff and will all be fresh in spring. 4-year-old Shorthorn bull, a good one; 4 coming yearling bull calves; 2 coming yearling heifer calves.

30 HEAD HOGS—2 tried sows; 4 spring gilts; 13 head summer shoats; 10 fall shoats and 1 boar. These hogs are all Poland-Chinas.

POULTRY—I have about 10 dozen thoroughbred Barred Rock chickens. This is an extra nice bunch that we have been selecting for 7 or 8 years. Will have some hay in stack; about 100 bushels oats; 60 bushels rye; some seed corn.

SOME FARM IMPLEMENTS; some household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention. Will also offer my 1918 Model Overland touring car at private sale if not sold before day of sale.

LUNCH by Bloomdale Willing Workers Auxiliary.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8% interest from date.

H. D. WELLS, Clerk.
CHAS. EVANS, Auct.

C. M. Copeland

Combination Sale

Bellows & Converse

To be held at the R. M. New farm, more commonly known as the Mutz farm, 2 miles west and ½ mile south of Maryville, on

Tuesday, February 25, 1919

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. Converse is leaving the state and is making a dispersion sale. Bellows having sold the Curfman farm are over stocked with horses, hogs and implements. And every article offered with be sold to the highest bidder.

The sale includes the following described property—

9 HEAD OF HORSES 9

One registered Percheron 3-year-old stallion, this is a corking good colt. He is exceptionally well bred, is jet black, sound as a bell and every inch a real horse. Three extra good draft mares, bred to Ideal, weight about 1400 each; one well matched team of heavy draft geldings, black, weight about 3400, 7 years old and sound; one draft colt; one smooth mouth all purpose horse; one smooth mouth draft horse.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE 11

Three registered Scotch Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age; seven or eight milch cows, some fresh, others to freshen soon.

117 HEAD OF HOGS 117

31 Chester White gilts, bred to good red boar. These will begin to farrow about March 20; 85 head of stock hogs, weighing about 90 pounds each, an extra even bunch of growthy shoats; one Jersey red boar from Hurst herd.

46 HEAD OF SHEEP 46

26 aged ewes; 19 last year lambs; 1 aged buck.

Two dozen White Leghorn Hens and a few White Leghorn Roosters.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 200 bu of choice seed oats; a few tons of fine timothy hay, baled; about 10 tons of oats straw of excellent quality.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Weber wagon, complete, as good as new; 2 manure spreaders; one Selberzon ensilage cutter and 34 feet of pipe; 1 Osborne grain binder in good repair; 1 new Oliver gang plow; 1 new Oliver combined lister and drill; one 2-row go-devil; 2 Black Hawk corn planters, each with 80 rods of wire; 1 grain drill in good working order; 2 new Oliver riding cultivators; one 20th Century cultivator; one 6-foot McCormick mower; one 7-foot McCormick mower; 1 side delivery rake; 1 hay stacker; one 6-foot water tank, new; 1 road wagon and single harness; 1 set of good work harness; 1 sewing machine; 1 Old Trusty 220-egg incubator; some chicken coops; one 3-burner gasoline stove; about 10 bu. potatoes; some second-hand gas pipe, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash or bankable note for 6 months, bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No articles removed until terms of sale are complied with.

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S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

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Closing Out Sale

I will sell at public auction at the farm, known as the E. A. Johnson farm, 7 miles south of Maryville and 2 miles northwest of Arkoe, on

Thursday, February 20

The following described property:

5 HEAD HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of light bay gelding, coming 5 years old; black mare coming 6 years old; bay mare coming 8 years old. All of these are broke, and good heavy stuff. Pair yearling mules, mare and horse.

CATTLE—1 coming 3-year-old heifer giving milk, and an extra good milker; 11 head coming yearling calves.

HAY, GRAIN—2 or more tons of good clover hay; about 100 bushels of good corn in crib, and about 25 acres of corn in field.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—Brand new low iron wheel wagon and hay rack; high wheel wagon; hack; good top buggy; International gas engine and pump jack, good as new; John Deere 14-16 disc, with trucks; 6-foot Emerson mower; good breaking plow; Emerson walking cultivator, nearly new; go-devil; corn planter; 2 sets of work harness; set of single harness; vinegar barrel; Sharples cream separator; watering pan or tank; some hedge posts, and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of the Arkoe M. E. church.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8% interest from date.

J. R. BRANIGER, Auct.
HARLEM WELLS, Clerk.

S. L. Johnson

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, TUESDAY, FEB. 18, 1919 NO. 219.

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

NODAWAY FIRST IN HOGS AND CATTLE

SURPRISING GAINS ARE SHOWN IN REPORT BY STATE AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

INCREASE IN HOGS IN YEAR IS 124,485

The Sheep Industry Also Has Shown Big Growth, the Number Being Three Times as Great as in 1917.

According to the latest figures of the Missouri co-operative Crop Reporting Service issued jointly by Field Agent E. A. Logan and Secretary Jewell Mayes of the U. S. Department and State Board of Agriculture Nodaway county shows a surprising gain in the number of hogs. The 1917 report showed 38,919 hogs in the county; the report just out for 1918 shows 163,404, more than four times as many as in the year previous. Nodaway county is credited with over 60,000 more hogs than any other county in the state, the next highest being Harrison, 106,727; Saline, 106,142; Clinton, 98328.

Nodaway county is not only pre-eminent in hogs but is far in the lead in number of cattle owned, the figures showing a total at the beginning of the year of 63,388, a gain over 1917 of 13,925. The next county in the state in number of cattle owned is Harrison with 48,694 Macon county is third with 47,844 and Linn county is fourth with 44,594.

Nodaway county has also made some strides in the sheep, industry. In 1917 the state department reported 8,609 sheep owned here. In the report for 1918 Nodaway county is shown as having 24,258 sheep. It is ninth among the counties of the state in the number of sheep owned, Sullivan county being first with 50,048 head.

The total number of hogs, cattle and sheep owned in the county is shown to be 251,050, or eight animals for every man, woman and child in the county.

The total gain in one year, 1917 to 1918, of cattle, hogs and sheep is 156,060.

Commenting on the report which includes each county in the state Secretary Mayes says:

"Since Missouri has no 'agricultural statistical law' these final figures are of necessity arrived at by the United States government system, (the best plan possible under the circumstances) but can not be nearly so authentic as by the local assessor system used by state law in Kansas and Iowa. The statistical bill, recently introduced in the House of Representatives by Allee and Clark, and in the State Senate by Wix and Glick, should speedily remedy Missouri's manay urgent needs and lacks along these lines."

Mrs. Rankin Lyle returned Saturday from a several weeks stay at the Burlington Junction mineral springs.

FOR SALE

2 Chester White sows, weight about 350 lbs each, eligible to record, will farrow about April 10 from recorded Chester White hog. 1 butchered hog, weight 225 lbs, 4 Chester White shoats, weight about 80 lbs.

WM. EVERHART,

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Everybody Come.

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EVERY

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

...S TOWNSHIP TICKET

...ans Will Meet at Court ...urday March 15—Democratic Convention Probably Held on Same Day.

The Republicans will hold their township mass convention at the court house on Saturday afternoon, March 15, to nominate their ticket for the township election to be reld Tuesday, March 25. Candidates will be chosen for the following offices: Trustee, two members of the township board, assessor, collector, constable and five justices of peace.

The Democrats will probably hold their convention on the same day right after the Republican meeting.

HOME GUARDS TO GIVE DINNER

Wives and Sweethearts of Members Will Be Entertained at the Armory Next Friday Night.

The members of the Home Guards with their wives and sweethearts will be entertained at a dinner to be held at the armory on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The committee in charge of the entertainment and dinner is composed of H. P. Swinehart, Cleav Funk, E. C. Curfman, B. M. Chandler, Roy Curfman, Charles C. Hellmers, Ed Keck, Fred Newlon and W. A. Rickenbrode. Kessler's orchestra will furnisr music during the dinner. A program will be given consisting of readings, a few addresses, songs and music. After the program, volley ball will be played.

Members are requested to attend in uniform.

ROBERT BURRIS AT COBLENZ

Writes Parents He Is Now Doing Night Sentry Duty.

Bobert Burris, with the Third army, now stationed at Coblenz, Germany, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, in a letter received yesterday, that the evident preparations of his division portend a stay of several months at Coblenz and the immediate chance of his getting home is minus.

He writes however, that there are many things to enjoy, namely, little journeys into the surrounding country, the beautiful scenery along the Rhine and pleasure of sightseeing. The soldiers often attend the German movies but as every thing is introduced in "lingo" it is a pastime not often indulged in by the Yanks. For some time Robert has been doing night sentry duty.

MOURNING BRASSARDS RECEIVED

Insignia for Deceased Soldier at Red Cross Headquarters.

The mourning brassards issued by the Red Cross are here and any person entitled to one and desiring it, may call at the headquarters on West Third street and obtain it.

Miss Bettie Turner, head of the Home Service Department, is also ready to aid any one who has not received the Liberty bonds purchased by their soldier sons or relatives and any information needed on this subject may be obtained at any time from Miss Turner.

To Buy New Bonnets.

Miss Agatha Kirch left yesterday afternoon for Chicago where she will spend the next two weeks at the wholesale millinery houses buying new stock for the Alderman-Yehle dry goods store.

Returns From Des Moines.

Mrs. John Snapp returned Saturday from a five weeks visit at Des Moines, Ia., with her son, Charles Snapp. Mr. Snapp accompanied his mother to Maryville for a short visit.

Guest of Ballengers.

Mrs. W. T. Whitten of Stanberry, is visiting in Maryville with C. E. Ballenger and daughters, Misses Ella and Emma Ballenger.

Attends Shoe Dealers Meet.

W. A. Miller of the Bee Hive shoe store left last night for Kansas City to attend the meeting of the Missouri Retail Dealers Association.

Arch Carters Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Carter have returned from a visit at Hannibal, with Mr. Carters' parents.

The Ladies of St. Patrick's Church will hold

A SOCIAL

in the Parish Hall

Tuesday Night, Feb. 18.

M'DOUGAL WRITES

MARYVILLE BOY IS NOW WITH CO F, 16TH INFANTRY.

AT ELBINGAN, GERMANY

Left German Prison Camp for American Lines Four Days After the Armistice Was Signed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal received yesterday the following letter from their son, Frank McDougal, now with the American army of occupation. Frank was one of the first bunch of American prisoners taken by the Germans in November, 1917. One sheet of the paper used in the letter was Y. M. C. A., one Salvation Army paper and the envelope bore a Knight of Columbus stamp. The young lady referred to was a Red Cross worker who wrote the parents about the condition and whereabouts of their son after the signing of the armistice and news of American prisoners could be learned.

Elbingen, Germany, Jan. 17, 1919.

Received your letter of the 17th of Dec. Will tell you a few questions you asked and am sure you want to know; will tell the rest when I get home, which will sure be some time.

We knew the armistice was signed for Belgium flags flew all over town, and we quit work but stayed around till the 15th of November before we started for the lines and in about five days we met the 2nd division, American, which was at Virton, Belgium.

About three weeks or a month before the armistice was signed they moved us from Charleville into northern Belgium, a town named Vielsals, not far from the German boundary. Stayed ther till the armistice was signed, a civilian showing us the terms.

The Belgiums were very nice people, giving us one meal of potatoes and meat a day, white bread, and once some kind of cake. On leaving Vielsalm on the 15th we hiked the first day about 25 kilometers and stayed over night, the next day 16 kilometers to Bastone, all large towns, and in this town we stayed with the civilian people oven night and in good beds and it sure was fine, the first in about 18 months. From there we got a tram and rode through the hills; it sure was a pretty country, with snow on the ground and frozen hard. Were about two thousand feet above sea level. Don't know how far we rode the tram, about 50 or 60 kilometers, I guess, to a town, Arlon. The next day the tram all day to Virton, meeting the 2nd Division. In U. S. trucks from there to a railroad and on a train from there through no mans land to Verdun; from there to Bevigny, a replacement camp, where I wrote my first letter and a telegram through the Red Cross. Here, Nullhall, who was the other man, went to the hospital, and Haines and I stayed there till the 3rd or 4th of Jan. when we left for the company with some more casuals of the 1st Div. which was in Germany.

When we were captupred, after about a week they sent the three of us together to Charlesville, and the rest into Germany, and I guess they have returned, but have not seen them.

The young lady in Paris is right about not being in Limburg because that is in Germany, the main American camp, the one we were in being a branch of that one.

Have seen no one from home but Allen and have not see him for a year but have heard he is still alive, and that Claude Middleton is in the same company.

Tell Margaret to hurry and get well, and the rest keep well, and for John to write me what he is doing, one apiece from the rest of you, too.

Have not received Xmas package yet but I guess it will come.

Am working in the kitchen every day, but would rather do that for a while than drill. Had snow here today, but it is not cold enough for it to stay on, but it is not so muddy as France.

Well I guess this is enough for once with another next week. Hoping you are all in the best of health, as I am, and Good Luck.

Your loving son,
FRANK McDOUGAL,
Co. F, 16th Inft.

E. F. Wolfert today sold his 160 acres five miles east of the city to C. J. Grundel of Council Bluffs, Ia. Mr. Grundel to take possession March 1. The new owner is a brother of F. M. Grundel living east of Maryville.

MRS. J. F. BEATTIE IS DEAD

Passes Away Last Night at St. Francis hospital—Leaves Five Days Old Infant.

Mrs. J. F. Beattie of Omaha, Neb., a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shopbell of Pickering, died last night at St. Francis hospital in this city.

No arrangements will be made for the funeral until the arrival of Mr. Beattie who was on a business trip in Dakota at the time of his wife's death. Mrs. Beattie leaves a five days' old baby. Previous to her marriage Mrs. Beattie was Miss Lela Shopbell.

She is survived by her husband, parents, infant child, and three sisters, Mrs. Clint McMullen of this city, Mrs. Verne Dickson of Denver, Colo., and Miss Lenore Shopbell of Pickering.

COMPANY'S COMING

WHITE HOUSE IS BEING REDECORATED AND BEAUTIFIED

VISITORS FROM EUROPE

Presents Received by the Wilsons Will Form a Permanent Exhibit in One of the Basement Rooms.

Washington, Feb. 18.—For the first time in six years, since President Woodrow Wilson occupied the White House, it is being redecorated and beautified and, incidentally, it is taking on an air of splendor never equalled during the regime of a former President.

The historic East Room, used during the war as a motion picture theatre for the President and Mrs. Wilson, where they saw war films and an occasional comedy, is being redecorated and handsomely furnished. About all that will remain of the former furnishings is a handsome gold embossed piano, placed there by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt. Where the white screen for motion pictures was hung a handsome Gobelin tapestry rich in red and gold, measuring 18 by 18 feet, has been suspended. It was a gift to President Wilson from the French high commission. On either side of it stand two massive blue vases, recently presented to the President by the Japanese mission. The walls are being newly covered with a light blue velvet in place of the painted walls which formerly graced the room.

The Blue Room, where Mrs. Wilson receives her guests and has tea, pretty badly faded both as to the upholstering of the furniture and the walls, is being made again into a symphony of cerulean blue. The Red Room, where the President held his regular weekly meetings of his war cabinet and received his daily callers, is much the worses for constant wear. When the President returns it will be completely made over.

The upper floors of the White House where the President and Mrs. Wilson make their home, require little attention as to refurnishings and decorations, but several of the many rooms are being made over into more regal style in anticipation of royal visitors from Europe who will naturally visit the United States, and as a matter of course be guests of the President.

On the lower floor, or basement, seen by most visitors when the White House is opened, many changes are being made. Since the White House was closed for repairs a new set of china has been added to the collection of former presidents. Strange to say, it is the only set since George Washington contributed his that has been made in America. It suffers none by comparison with Sevres and Haviland. It is heavy in burnished gold and blue enamel, and in the centre in embossed gold is the seal of the United States.

One of the rooms in the basement, probably one of the chambers now used as a reception room, is being cleaned out and made ready to receive many of the presents being showered on the President by the peoples and the governments of Europe. Of course, the more handsome of the paintings and the tapestries will find a place in the East Room and the main rooms of the first floor, but there are hundreds of war souvenirs which will form a part of the permanent exhibit of the relics of presidents on the basement floor.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph yesterday to Clarence Carmichael of Mound City and Miss Ada Yates of Burlington Juntion.

FAVOR BOND ISSUE

HOUSE ROADS AND HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE MAKES REPORT

AN AMENDMENT ADDED

The 60 Million Bond Proposal Provides for Equal Distribution of Funds to Counties.

The proposal the voters of Missouri be asked to authorize a 60 million dollar bond issue, to be used in building a state system of hard surfaced roads, has been reported favorably by the roads and highways committee of the house, with an amendment requiring the moneys be expended upon a mileage basis in each county so that every county will share equally if the bond issue is voted.

The bond issue plan, first introduced in the house by Representative J. Allen Prewit of Jackson County, is in the form of a constitutional amendment to be voted upon at the November election in 1920. It is proposed that the legislature be authorized to issued bonds not to exceed 60 million dollars in amount, to bear interest at 4½ per cent, payable in thirty years, but redeemable in ten years. The bonds are to be employed in constructing an inter-county seat highway system, the system to be designated by the legislature if that body so desires; if not, bu the state highway department. Provision is made for paying the bonds out of the motor car license money, together with a state road tax not to exceed twenty cents on each $100 valuation of property.

The Morgan-McCullough plan provides that each county will get proportionate share of the state and federal road moneys, which shall be based upon the mileage, without any outlay whatever except the cost of making state road surveys and the construction of bridges or culverts which are more than twenty feet in length.

The Morgan-McCullough bills will provide for a state system of roads which will cross each county in the general direction of north and south and east and west. They estimate that these state roads will comprise about 6,000 miles.

Their plan contemplates the expenditure for grading roads, reducing hills and building permanent culverts during the next three years of $7,800,000, of which $3,900,000 will come from the state and $3,900,000 from the federal road funds.

All that a county must do to get its mileage pro rata of the $7,800,000 fund is to survey its east-west and north-south roads, or adopt roads which meet the requirements and arrange for the construction of any bridges or culverts exceeding twenty feet in length.

The average county under the plan would, upon the basis of state road mileage, receive between $60,000 and $100,000, or about $1,200 a mile with which to grade its state roads, reduce its hills, and build culverts up to twenty feet in length.

BARNUM WAS RIGHT

Evidence That a "Sucker Is Born Every Minute" Is Given Proof.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 18.—George H. Gauthier testified in court that he was troubled with fits and that he went to Miss Mary Guy, of Lynn, for treatment. She told him to break an egg in a handkerchief and to carry it in his pocket two weeks. If that didn't cure him, he testified, Miss Guy told him to wrap himsesIf in red silk and sit on a white cloth for an hour. He paid her $250 for the advice and did all she told him to do, but was not cured of his affliction. Then he brought suit.

To State Convention.

L. B. Tracy, head of the shoe department of the Alderman-Yehle store left this morning for Kansas City to attend the Retail Shoe Dealers Convention. During his absence Chester Lyle, formerly employed in the store, will take Mr. Tracy's place. Mrs. Tracy accompanied her husband.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued today:

Raymond R. Curnutt of Barnard, and Ottie Belle Meeker of Stanberry.

Glen Spangler of Burlington Junction and Myrtle Hutchings of Elmo.

Henry August Boedeker of Ravenwood and Elizabeth Henggeler of Conception.

TO BE NO 5TH LIBERTY LOAN

Under Tentative Agreement Short Term Notes Will Be Issued, Congress to Name Rate.

Washington, Feb. 18.—There will be no Fifth Liberty Loan under the agreement tentatively reached this afternoon by the house ways and means committee in conference with Secretary Glass. Instead of a loan, short term notes will be issued and upon these congress will set the rate of interest.

RUSSIAN PROBLEMS PUZZLE

Peace Delegates Unable to Reach an Agreement to Restore Conditions. —Bolshevikl Army Grows.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Serbian questions were taken up by the "Big Five" powers this afternoon without any conclusions having been reached by the delegates in their discussions of Russian problems yesterday. All delegates agree to urgently bring about settled conditions in Russia, but no definite plan has yet been decided on. The Entente military powers stated that the Bolshevik army was now stronger than when the invitation was issued to the various Russian factional governments to enter into a conference on Prince's Island. Premier Lenine's forces are said to have advanced everywhere except against the Esthonians.

BORAH DECLINES TO ATTEND

Turns Down President Wilson's Invitation to White House Dinner to Discuss League of Nations.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Senator Borah of Idaho, Republican member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee today declined President Wilson's invitation to attend the White House dinner February 26, when the League of Nations will be discussed. The Idaho senator in a letter pointed out that in accordance with custom such gatherings are regarded as strictly confidential and that he did not feel justified in accepting any information that he could not pass on to his colleagues or that he might not use in debate.

BEWARE OF POTATO WART.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Warning that the potato wart, one of the most dangerous diseases of potatoes which has again made its appearance in the United States, was sent broadcast today by Secretary Houston.

WILSON RESTS ON VOYAGE.

On Board the George Washington, Feb. 18.—The weather cleared during last night and today was bright and warm. President Wilson, taking advantage of the change walked on deck for exercise. The President continued to get all the rest possible, following his arduous peace labors in Paris. The ship was expected to pass the Azores today.

A YANK GUARD TO BERLIN.

Basle, Switzerland, Feb. 18.—American troops will be sent into Berlin to guard the food sent into that city by the United States, said a dispatch from that city today.

SPARTACIDES ACTIVE AGAIN.

Munich, Feb. 18.—Headquarters of the Munich army that commands the telegraph and telephone stations and several newspaper plants were seized by the Spartacides today. Machine guns were planted in the windows of the army buildings to sweep the adjacent streets.

CUT GERMAN ARMY TO 25,000.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Germany's future army will probably be limited to 25,000 soldiers by the new armistice terms and the war plants in Germany will be put under Allied control, according to information secured from authoritative sources here.

Here From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Theadore Ray of Chugwater, Wyo., are visiting in Maryville with Mr. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ray of South Main street.

...AT NEEDLESS LOSS

GOV. ALLEN MAKES CHARGES THAT 5TH LACKED SUPPORT

KNEW THE END WAS NEAR

But in Spite of the Fact Americans Pushed on After Fleeing Germans Only Meet Heavy Casualties.

Washington, Feb. 18.—American soldiers who were killed in the last few hours of fighting before the armistice was signed "were needlessly sacrificed," Governor Allen of Kansas told the senate committee today. All the Allied forces knew seventy-two hours before the armistice terms were signed that it would end the war, he said, but nevertheless, they pushed onward, the American forces playing the most vigorous part in the final offensive at "needless sacrifice." Although the Germans were retreating, they nevertheless rained heavy shell fire on the Americans and they suffered considerable casualties, declared Governor Allen. The governor read to the committee a letter from Col. Carl Ristine of the 139th Infantry, 35th Division, in which he said that some one would tell the truth to congress.

The figures given the committee by General March were replacements in the 35th division and could not accurately indicate that number of casualties, the speaker said.

He roughly estimated the killed in action and died of wounds in the 35th at 1,700.

When the governor finished his statement members of the committee asked him if he would suggest the committee make a trip to the Argonne forest and there view the scenes and be better able to conduct an investigation. Allen replied he thought all the evidence could be brought here and that such a trip would not be necessary.

TO GIVE SECRET INFORMATION.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Secret information which will not be included in his speeches at New York and Boston, will be given to members of the house and senate foreign relations committee by President Wilson at the White House dinner to be held on his return to Washington.

Sheriff Gets a Present.

Sheriff John F. Dodwen provided himself with a pocketfull of cigars today in order that he might properly display a handsome sparker that adorns his left hand. The stone is a present from a friend in California.

Weekly Meeting Tonight.

The regular weekly meeting and luncheon of the directors of the Commercial Club will be held this evening at the Bainum Hotel. Several matters of importance will be up for discussion and consideration.

Will Judge Debate.

Supt. Bert Cooper and Prof. Harry A. Miller will go to Ravenwood Thursday night where they will act as judges in the debate between the Ravenwood and Barnard schools to be held there.

Visiting in Chicago.

Miss Anna Blatter left last night for Chicago, Ill., to visit her cousin, John Blatter and family. She will also visit relatives at Springfield and New Berlin, Ill., before returning.

The cotton handkerchiefs supplied to French soldiers have printed upon them a number of sanitary precepts to be observed on the march and during a campaign.

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness tonight and warmer; Wednesday unsettled, possibly rain.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11c and 17c

Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature,

GLADYS LESLIE, in

"A Nymph of the Foothills"

Also Sunshine Comedy.

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For Township Collector

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of collector of Polk township, subject to e action of the Republican nominating convention.

LEWIS E. WHITE.

For Township Collector.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

FRANK G. SHOEMAKER.

For Township Colelctor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of collector of Polk ownship, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

HERSCHEL E. WILES.

For Township Collector.

HOWARD ("DICK") STRONG hereby announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of Collector of Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

For Township Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of assessor of Polk township subject to the action of the Democratic township convention.

ROBERT ALEY.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the andidacy of Bert Cooper for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

For County Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. Pierce for County Superintendent of Schools of Nodaway County, subject to the action of the voters at the election to be held Tuesday, April 1.

FOR TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of township collector for Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

ANDY H. PRIDE.

THE 'COOT MIT UNS' FOR YANKS.

Occupation Forces Have Set Up the "Order of the Cootie."

Coblenz, Feb. 18.—The "Order of the Cootie" was recently organized among American forces on the Rhine. Beneath the crest, showing a ccotie rampant, are the words:

"Coot mit uns."

Only veterans of three months' scratching experience are eligible.

FINE FOR RHEUMATISM!

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50

MUSTEROLE
"A Mild Mustard Plaster"

Townsend's

4th and Main St.

TWO DAYS SPECIAL SALE

Wednesday and Thursday

10c bars P. & G. White Naptha Soap, 2 for..... 13c
Large bars Ivory Soap.... 10c
Flake Hominy, any quantity, per lb 5c
Best grade Stick Candy, lb 25c
Gal. cans Calif. Plums in Sirup 80c
No. 1 tall cans Alaska Salmon 19c
No. 1 tall cans Fancy Red Salmon 27c
½ gal. pails Maple Sirup.. 75c
5 lb pails pure Peanut Butter 95c
Peet Bros. Crystal White Laundry Soap—There is no better soap sold than Crystal White, per bar..... 5c
Pancake Flour (large pkg. self-rising) 10c
Gal. cans Sliced Pine Apple in sirup 95c
3 large cakes Sweet Chocolate 25c
Calif. Lima Beans, any quantity, lb 15c
Pearl Hominy, bulk, lb..... 5c
Pure Peach Jam, No. 1 cans 22c
No. 2's for 33c
California Seedless Raisins, bulk, 4 lbs..... 50c
California Seeded Raisins, per pkg. 10c
No. 1 cans Asparagus..... 15c
No. 1 cans Pork and Beans good quality 10c
No. 2 cans Pork and Beans good quality 15c
Catsup, all the best brands, 30c and 35c large bottles 25c
New Post Toasties, per pkg. 12c
Toasted Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. 25c
Best Comb Honey, big frames 40c
100 lb sacks Royal Poultry Feed $3.65
Mexican Beans, lb..... 10c
12 lbs for $1.00
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 2½, 5 or 10 lb sacks, lb..... 9c

Extra Good Eating Apples and Sound Ben Davis Cooking Apples.

Fresh Parsnips, Carrots or Solid Cabbage, 6 lbs.... 25c
12 lbs Cabbage for boiling 25c
Shelled Rice Popcorn, per lb 10c
No. 3 cans Pumpkin, 1918 pack, good quality..... 10c
Fresh Eggs, dozen..... 30c
Troco Butter Substitute, made from fresh cocoanuts, churned in pasturized cream, per lb 33c

48-lb sacks
FANCY CREAM FLOUR
A superior flour, once used, always wanted. If it's genuine Fancy Cream our name is on the sack. Price for single sacks
—$2.75—
Get our quantity price.

Crystal White Soap Flakes (like Lux) 9c
Rolled White Oats, large pkg. 25c
Rolled White Oats, regular 15c pkg. 10c
Pure Sorghum, qt..... 25c
Half gallon 50c
Gallon $1.00
Qt. cans Asparagus Cuts .. 25c

40 Years Ago Today

(From the files of the Nodaway Democrat).

Dawson & Roseberry have been appointed attorneys for the St. Louis and Omaha road at this place.

It is estimated that by September 1 that cars will be running into Maryville on the St. Louis air line.

Squire Parcher has his card in this week's paper. He is always at his place of business and gives prompt attention to all matters entrusted to his care.

Elder Rufus Smith will speak on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in front of Hosmer's Auction House on the rights of liquor sellers and liquor drinkers.

Read Charlie Lippman's new advertisement. He talks furniture right along. Charles is an enterprising young man and will give you good bargains.

W. M. Wright and John Signs have leased the room adjoining Hasting's book store and will open out to the public a stock of clothing between the 10th and 15th of next month.

Chief engineer Emerson of the St. Louis and Omaha road has leased an office over Kuenster's store, and will make Maryville his headquarters during the construction of the road.

It is now becoming quite customary for our young ladies and gents to banter each other to go before a minister and be married, and the young gentlemen, we are happy to say, have not backed down in a single instance.

The following sums in stocks and grain transactions have been paid through the Farmers Bank, this city, between the dates of October 1, 1878 and February 17, 1879: Cattle, $65,804; hogs, $10,705; grain, $42,525, making a total of $229,034.

L. I. White left last Monday for Jefferson City, where he will appear before Judge Kellp and apply for a writ to restrain the town board of Maryville from enforcing their ordinances. Lafe Dawson has been employed by the board to defend the town in our circuit court in the event of an injunction being granted.

Now is the time to buy goods at the Baltimore Clothing House. M. Nus- election to be held Tuesday, March 25. of cost, in order to make room for the spring season.

Unimproved land can be purchased in Nodaway county now at prices ranging from five to ten dollars per acre, depending on location, etc. But little over one-fourth the land in the county is under cultivation.

A jitney will take our pump repair man to your trouble in a hurry. Phone 64. 18-22.

ILLINOIS COAL.

You have talked a plenty about it—we have to to sell, all you want. The Shoemaker-Bovard Co., that give service. 17-19*

Nearly $45,000,000 worth of vehicles, harness, forage and raw materials were shipped to the American expeditionary forces from the beginning of the war to Dec. 1, 1918.

The British government has decided to retain the present organization for the sale of national war bonds and war savings certificates as a permanent part of the national machinery.

Phone six-four for quick service pump and windmill work. 18-22.

HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

The excruciating agonies of rheumatism are usually the result of failure of the kidneys to expel poisons from the system. If the irritation of these uric acid crystals is allowed to continue, incurable bladder or kidney disease may result. Attend to it at once. Don't resort to temporary relief. The sick kidneys must be restored to health by the use of some sterling remedy which will prevent a return of the disease.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. They have brought back the joys of life to countless thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel and other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs.

They will attack the poisons at once, clear out the kidneys and urinary tract and the soothing healing oils and herbs will restore the inflamed tissues and organs to normal health.

All others are imitations. Ask for GOLD MEDAL and be sure the name GOLD MEDAL is on the box. Three sizes, at all good druggists.

Buddy Boots

for muddy weather

$5.50

Also good quality Rubber Boots at

$4.00 and $5.00

Montgomery Shoe Co
THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

Quality *and* Service

Is what we GIVE, and incidently we SELL the best cuts obtainable of Beef, Pork, Veal and Mutton.

And Corned Beef, well give it a trial, you'll be back for more.

WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

STAPLER'S

210 North Main.

AN ALBANY WAR FLIER HOME

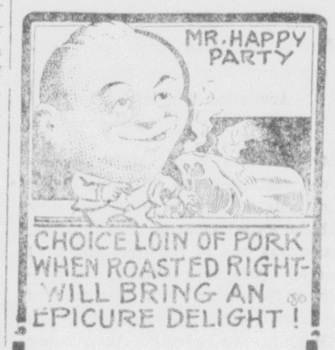
Lt. McElvain Was Shot Down Behind German Lines and Captured on August 1, 1918.

Albany, Mo., Feb. 18.—Clifford McElvain, first lieutenant, U. S. A., son of Joseph McElvain and wife of this city, arrived home yesterday afternoon from Germany where he had been a prisoner of war from Aug. 1, 1918, to Nov. 29th. The local band and perhaps 1,500 people met him at the station.

On August 1 a squadron of eight American planes passed over the German lines and all were shot down and Lieutenant McElvain was captured Doubtless the others were killed as no report concerning them has ever been made. On landing he found a score or more of soldiers with bayonets fixed to receive him. An officer came up, talked a few moments, gave him a cigarette and then took him to the rear in an automobile. He was placed in a dungeon in solitary confinement for thirty days and after that he lived in a tent.

Mr. McElvain entered the first officers' training camp at Funston, won a commission and sailed for France in March, 1918.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.



It was back three or four hundred pages of history ago when the Chinese discovered that roast pork was so delicious that they broke their food treaties with Confucious. It didn't take the folks of this town long to discover that this is the shop to buy a loin of pork.

Watch for Mr. Happy Party.

REIMER'S MARKET
410 NORTH MAIN ST.

New Spring

Merchandise

Is arriving on every train. Visit our store often and get an idea of the

New Spring Styles

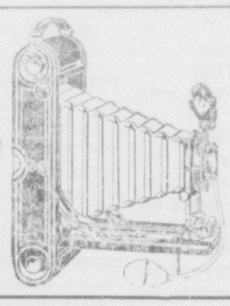
Haines

The Store Quality and Low Prices Built.

KODAKS

WE SELL THEM

CARPENTER



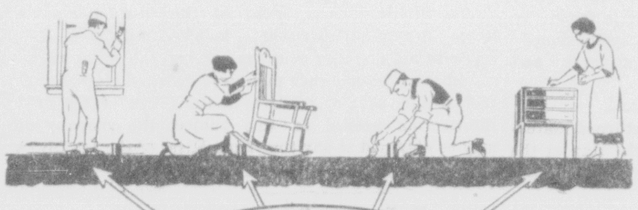
KODAKS

WE LOAN THEM

At The Bee Hive Shoe Store

Make Your Home Look New

Nothing will do it so easily, so thoroughly and so durably as paint.



DEPENDABLE HEATH & MILLIGAN PAINTS

Use More Paint in Your Home

HOME will mean more to you, if you do. There isn't any excuse for having a lot of old chromos sitting around. You know they mar the whole appearance of the room. Make them modern with Heath & Milligan Sunshine Finishes. You can turn that old oak bedroom set white enamel or renew the original color and lustre of odd pieces of furniture. Do the little jobs yourself—when it comes to floors and woodwork employ a good painter.

There's no investment in the home that gives so much satisfaction to the eye as painting. It's cheaper to renew than to buy new. If you want lasting results use paints that are cheapest in the end. Come where you see the above sign. It's your guide.

Curfman Brothers

MARYVILLE.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

School Children Have Party.

The children of Hazel Dell school, near Graham, were given a Valentine party Friday afternoon by their teacher, Miss Claire Davis. The school room was decorated with whit hearts and cupids and progressive hearts and other Valentine games were played. Mr. and Mrs. Hill were visitors and brought the children some delicious home made candy which was a delight to them. The girl's prize in the games was won by Mary Hicks and the boy's by William Hill.

Lyles Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle were the hosts at a dinner given Sunday noon when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Watson and son, Robert Harvey Watson, who is home on a furlough from Fort Riley, Kan., Miss Mary Watson, Miss Mildred Evans and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Alderman.

Surprise Dinner Party.

The United Workers Red Cross Auxiliary gave Mrs. Charles Blagg, one of their instructors, a dinner surprise last Wednesday at her home southwest of the city. The Blaggs are leaving that neighborhood soon and the auxiliary held this gathering as a farewell pleasure. A fine dinner which the guests brought was served at noon and those present were Mrs. J. C. Clayton, Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. Mark Mood, Mrs. Sam Lyle, Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mrs. R. P. Yeaman, Mrs. Wilbert Briggs, and daughters, Beth and Frances, Mrs. Fred Lyle and daughter, Mary Margaret; Mrs. O. K. Smith and son, Charles Henry; Mrs. Ernest Yeaman and Misses Nan Fannon, Marie Thompson, Helen and Irene Blagg.

Club Department Meets.

The Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. M. Chandler on West Second St., devoting the afternoon to reed work.

Social at St. Patrick's.

The women of St. Patrick's parish will give a social in the church hall tonight. There will be games and refreshments.

Observes Eighth Birthday.

Mary Esther, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Loucks of Skidmore, celebrated her birthday anniversary yesterday and in the evening her mother entertained some of her little friends with a supper party. The table was attractive with decorations of pink and white, the centerpiece being a white birthday cake on which were eight lighted pink candles. The children present were Glen, Katherine, and Helen Jackson, Beulah and Virginia Miller, Mary and Stoy Williams, Evelyn and Harold Monk, Bettie Rose Kemp and Mary Esther and Velma Loucks.

CHILDREN
Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply the "outside" treatment—
VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, $1.20

Our Jewelry Clearing Sale

is still going on—every article of gold and silver jewelry, table ware, flat ware, clocks, watches, etc., at

1-3 off

HOLMES JEWELRY CO.
109 West Third Street.

Cakes --- Pies

We Make and Sell Them Every Day

Reuillards

P. S.—Made in America

You Can Operate
Your Electric Sewing Machine and have a light at the same time by using
BENJAMIN
TWO-WAY PLUG
It fits easily into any socket and enables the use of any household electrical device and your light.
MARYVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER CO.
Maryville, Mo.

WATCH ALL THOSE $10 BILLS

They May Be $1 Issues Raised, Says Fred Tate, Chief of Kansas City Secret Service Office.

No counterfeiter and no note raiser ever eluded secret service agents and the United States treasury department for any lengthy period of time.

Wherefore take a look at the $10 bill in your pocket, granting you belong to that fortunate class of plutocrats who possess this commodity.

You may have in your possession a raised Kansas City Federal Reserve bank note for 1918 and thereby be an innocent, though technical violator of a federal statute.

Unless the grave countenance of Andrew Jackson looks out from the background there is serious question of the authenticity of your decimal paper money.

Should you find yourself looking at the austere bust of George Washington the 10 is not a "10-spot," but a "bean," to speak colloqually, and somewhere is a man with the other $9 who sooner or later will face the federal authorities under the act of congress against making false money.

Note raising, since the issuance of the 1918 federal reserve bank notes, has become frequent according to Fred Tate, chief of the secret service at Kansas City.

Usually, it is the bank which is the loser.

But whoever the holder, his first duty upon discovery of a false bill is to call the secret service department.

"Don't pass it along," warns Mr. Tate. "Two wrongs do not make a right. It is a public duty to report the counterfeit or the raised bill."

Here are the signs by which the authenticity of a bill may be judged.

$1—head of George Washington.
$2—head of Thomas Jefferson.
$5—head of Abraham Lincoln.
$10—head of Andrew Jackson.
$20—head of Grover Cleveland.
$50—head of Ulysses S. Grant.
$100—head of Benjamin Franklin.

Counterfeits and note raisers operate less in Kansas City than in outlying territory, Mr. Tate declares.

W.C.T. U. RECONSTRUCTION WORK

Peace Fund Campaign in Vigorous Swing all Over State.

The Peace Fund Campaign of the Missouri Woman's Christian Temperance Union is in full swing. Each county and local union is in a friendly rivalry to be first to "go over the top" with its portion of the $50,000. Most encouraging reports come in as the drive progresses.

The general public and friends who are aiding with work and contributions deeply appreciate the splendid reconstruction work for which the fund is to be used. It will benefit every citizen of Missouri.

As ratification is accomplished, law enforcement will be given much attention. Letters and telegrams must be sent to representatives in the interest of the Act to Enforce Prohibition in Missouri after January 16, 1920. This act is House Bill No. 335, Senate Bill No. 301. Also the Child Code laws must be urged as a part of W. C. T. U. child welfare work. We are not loyal Americans to adopt hundreds of French orphans and neglect Missouri's unfortunate children.

There will be moral education for the older children, as well as infants. Many tragedies could be written in letters of blood as a result of the unusual freedom of young girls near army camps, and the glamor of the uniform. There is patient and tactful work for the W. C. T. U. to correct these mistakes, and firmly plan one standard of morals for both sexes and help inexperienced and unprotected girls.

These are just a few of the items that need financing with the reconstruction fund.

Each citizen may have a part in this good work by making a contribution now.

A PAPER BY BOYS FOR BOYS

Loren and Donald Reid, Sons of Former Maryville Man Are Publishers of "The Wigwam."

Loren and Donald Reid of Gilman City, Mo., sons of Dudley A. Reid, formerly of Maryville, are only 13 and 10 years old, respectively, but they are publishers of a real newspaper. Moreover, they are the editors and the printers—in fact, the whole force of the Wigwam.

It is "a paper by boys for boys." The first issue appeared last month and another is about due for the press now. All the stories and editorials in the little publication were written and set up by the two lads. Loren is trying his hand at a continued story with alluring title of "The Face at the Window."

The father of the boys is Dudley A. Reid, publisher of the Gilman City Guide, and the youngsters fairly have been reared in a printing shop. Loren early displayed an unusual precocity, knowing all the letters of the alphabet and the marks of punctuation by the time he was 2 years old. He began to read when he was just past 4 and was in the Third Reader by the time most boys are entering school. He is in the Gilman City high school now.

The boys are greatly interested in the Boy Scout movement. Gilman City has no Scout organization, but the youngsters are trying to make up for the lack and the Wigwam is calculated to interest young Scouts and would-be Scouts.

It might be said in behalf of the Wigwam that its first edition was all sold out and many calls for it could not be supplied. Its editors promise that the next issue will be larger and even more interesting than the first, which shows that they have one of the prime editorial qualifications.

In a letter to the Democrat-Forum Loren says: "Donald was born in your city in 1908. I am three years older than Donald. I was only five years old when I left there, but I still remember a few things about Maryville. I may visit Maryville this summer and if I do I will hunt you up."

Look out for Spanish Influenza.
At the first sign of a cold take
HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

CALL
Dr. R. L. Wohlford
The Busy Veterinarian
Office Everhart Building, South Main St. Hanamo 470; Farmers 160-11.

J. A. SPEIRS
Wholesale dealer in Poultry and Dairy Products,
Maryville, Mo.
Farmers Phone 87.
Hanamo 307.
Location 118 E. 5th St.
Bring in your produce and get Best Results.

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT.
EYES EXAMINED FREE
Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at
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Eyes Tested Free!
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WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
H. L. Raines
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
MARYVILLE, MO.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Make Ready for Spring

How About Your Walls? Don't You need some new paper to brighten up for the Spring season?

With the thought of Spring comes the thought of house cleaning, remodeling and making the surroundings to harmonize with the Spring spirit. And of course, one of the first things is the wall covering, Draperies and floor coverings.

Our stock of new Spring wall paper, curtains, draperies, rugs and linoleums are arriving and being placed in stock and they are sure to meet with your approval.

Wall Paper

Of special importance at this time is our unusual assortment of beautiful wall papers.

The plain papers, tapestry effects ,chintz patterns, striped effects and Tiffany in rich Spring tones.

Papers suitable for Bed Rooms, Dining Rooms, Living Rooms, Kitchen, Bath Room, Halls and Nursery.

Priced per roll.....10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c and up

SEE DISPLAY IN WEST SHOW WINDOW.

Pie Social Postponed.

The box and pie social to be given on the night of February 15 at the East Star school has been postponed until Friday night, Feb. 22.

If it is a new pump you need, or a windmill, or an engine, or repairs for any of them telephone us or come in and see us. Phone 64. Lowry Hardware & Implement Co. 18-22

Kenneth Hull, the small son of J. F. Hull, editor of the Tribune, and Mrs. Hull, is critically ill.

Moved to New Location.

The Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co. is now located in their new home in the Craig building, first door north of the Orear-Henry Drug store, having moved from the building north of the Nodaway Valley Bank. New fixtures and new furniture have been purchased for their store.

Supper at Shell Grove.

There will be a box supper Friday night at the Shell Grove school. Miss Dollie Hughbanks is teacher of the district.

Leaves for Oklahoma.

Mrs. Walter Wray and son, Donald, left yesterday for Ada, Okla., to join Mr. Wray who went there several weeks ago. Mr. Wray is in the automobile business there.

Mrs. Wiles Home.

Mrs. T. A. Wiles returned home Sunday from a three months visit at Muskogee, Okla., with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Rimel, and her sister, Mrs. Eugene Graves.

Pumps repaired, phone 64. 18-22

A Business Devoted Exclusively to the Sale and Repair of

Tires

We carry the largest stock of new and rebuilt tires in Northwest Missouri. We have your size when you want it.

By repairing and rebuilding thousands of them, we have gained a thorough knowledge of tires that is to be had in no other way.

Based on this experience we selected from all others, MOHAWK and FIRESTONE Tires. Today they are the best tire values on the market.

We rebuild and sell a low-priced tire that gives mileage far in excess of its cost. It is built up from good standard carcasses with the best materials obtainable, and guaranteed for the same mileage as new tires, in proportion to cost.

If your tires need repairing or retreading, no shop is equipped to give you better or quicker service.

Whatever your tire needs may be, we are prepared to care for them, efficiently and promptly.

Kramer

The Tire Repair Man—Maryville, Mo.—With Sewell Auto Co.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days o. more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FARMS FOR SALE—60 to 70 miles south of Kansas City in Bates county, Mo., which is one of the eight Banner counties of the state in the production of grains and hay. Good improvements, smooth land and good soil. Prices $65 to $110 per acre. Eugene Rathbun, Maryville, Mo. J31tf

EGGS—S. C. Buff Leghorns, $1.00 per 15, or $5.00 per 100. Mrs. Chas. DeNeen. Farmers phone 13-16* 12-18*

FOR SALE—30 head of shoats, 6 miles west of town. W. E. Bright. 13-15*

FOR SALE—About 75 bushels spring wheat. C. L. Wells, Far. 230-16. 15-18*

FOR SALE—About 200 bu. of corn. Sherman Scott, Hopkins, Mo., Route No. 5. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Team of mules, weight 2900, four years old. Sow and 7 shoats, mower, rake, disc, and cultivator if sold this week. Priced to sell. Call Farmers phone 8-18. 15-18*

FOR SALE—An improved 64 acres, three and one-half miles south east of city. Price $195 per acre. Anyone selling this farm and closing up the deal is entitled to 1 per cent commission. Price good for acceptance until Feb. 23. For further information call or see Allen Brothers, the Land Men. 17-19.

FOR SALE—Baled clover ray, ½ mile west Rockford church. W. C. Hogan, Far. 38-14. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Some extra good farm teams; gelding, mare or mule teams, broke or unbroke. A big bunch to select from. C. H. Caldwell, Burlington Junction, Mo. 13-19

FOR SALE—50 head fall shoats, weigh from 60 to 70 lbs. Frank O'Riley, 2 miles southeast of Maryville. 18-20*

FOR SALE—Good brood sow and four shoats, and Old Trusty 100-egg incubator. Mrs. H. Edwards, 1119 East Fourth St. 18-20

EGGS FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorns, $4.50 per 100. Mrs. Joe M. Henderson, Barnard R 3 Phone 1105. 18-20*

FOR SALE—11 shoats, weigring about 100 lbs. Call Farmers 2-19. Peter Behm. 18-20*

BUFF ROCKS—I have for sale a few good Buff Plymouth Rock cockerels. F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Mo. 18-24

FOR RENT

WANTED TO RENT—I want to rent a 5 to 7 room house with barn, chicken park, and from 1 lot to 80 acres of ground in or near Maryville. Marian F. Smith, Democrat-Forum Agent. Farmers phone 51-20, or phone Frank Wallace, Hanamo 273.

FOR RENT—School girl who desires room mate and nice room, with privilege of light housekeeping, may procure such place by inquiring at 616 North Fillmore, or call Hanamo 6667. tf

FOR RENT—6 room house on East 4th street, and 5 room house in southeast Maryville, both have basements. Also Ford touring and Buick 4 for sale. Bert Hiatt, Han. 3721, Far. 127-15. 15-18*

FOR RENT—5 room house, good garden spot. 612 South Market. Call 52-0-12 Farmers. 17-19*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Elderly lady to do housework, by the day. Call Hanamo 340. 17-19

SPRING WHEAT—I have for sale about 150 bu. of Marquis spring wheat, good quality; see sample at my office. F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Mo. 18-24

STRAYED—Poland-China sow, from farm 5 miles south of city. Please notify Fred Gray, Hanamo 25Y 18-20*

Miss Barmann Returns.

Miss Pearl Barmann returned to her home in Savannah this morning after a few days visit in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmann.

Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Citizens Bank of Graham, will be held at the office of said bank in Graham, Mo., Tuesday, March 4, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. B. GEX, President,
J. M. WILSON, Cashier.

Obituary.

James Giffin was born in Indiana, Feb. 27, 1842, and departed from this life, at his home four miles west of Barnard, Friday, Feb. 14, at 8:30 in tre morning, age 76 years, 11 months and 15 days. September 2, 1868, he was united in marriage to Lucy Van Cleve. The following year they moved to Nodaway county, Mo., locating close to where he died. This union was blessed with three children. Early in life he professed faith in Christ as his personal Savior, and united with the Presbyterian church, of which he was an elder. He was one of the strong pillars of tre church and remained a faithful member until the end. For several years past he was not able to attend church, owing to his physical condition. Almost one year ago he was compelled to take to his bed. During this siege of sickness, he was a patient sufferer, and bore it all with Christian fortitude, waiting patiently for the final summons, in which he lived in readiness. He was a noble character, an untiring worker, and highly esteemed by his many friends. As a husband re was loving, and kind, a father that was true and affectionate, and a neighbor of sterling worth.

Besides his wife, who shared of his sorrows and partook o his trials for over fifty years, he leaves to mourn, three children, Mrs. Jean Kellogg, and Ralph, both of Barnard, and Mrs. Emma Allen of Waurica, Okla., besides many relatives, as well as a host of friends. The funeral service was conducted from the home, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15, at 1:30, Rev. Arthur S. Olsen, pastor of tre Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. Interment was in the Barnard Masonic cemetery, where he was tenderly laid to rest.

Revelation that liquor and drugs accounted for only 1.3 per cent of the physical disqualifications under the draft law hardly bears out the alarmist claims of the reformers that, this was becoming a nation of wricks.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Kansas City, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steers, $12@$16; cows, $6@$14.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; top, $17.85; bulk, $17.15@$17.65.

St. Joseph, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; top, $17.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500—strong.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	27c
Cream, per pound	42c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c to 25c
Young Roosters per pound	18c
Old Roosters and Stags	14
Butter, per pound	39c

The estimated age of mature big trees in California ranges from 500 to 2,500 years, though some may be several thousand years old. The next oldest at maturity are the redwoods, but several pines range from 300 to 500. The oldest big tree is thought to be about 7,000 years from a seed.

1,500,000 FRENCH KILLED.

An Atlantic Port.—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and as many wounded. America owes France an enormous debt of gratitude for this heroic outpouring of her life's blood and also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country and throughout the world through the discovery by French peasants of a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments which, it is said, has relieved incalculable suffering and prevented thousands of surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, prominent Chicago chemist, imports the ingredients and sells this remedy in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Maryville druggists and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

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Closing Out Public Sale

As I am moving to a smaller farm, I will sell at the Preston Seafers farm, better known as the Jim Palmer place 9¾ miles north and east of Maryville and 2 miles west of Harmony church, on

Thursday, February 20

beginning at 10 a. m., the following described property, to wit:

11 HORSES AND MULES—1 team of mares 7 and 8 years old; 1 team of gray mares 5 and 6 years old, in foal; 1 team of 3 year old mules, broke; 1 team of horses, sorrel and black, 3 and 4 years old, and the rest are young mules, good ones.

12 HEAD OF MILCH COWS—Six cows giving milk now and some will be fresh by day of sale and others are with calf; some are extra good milkers; also four yearlings—three heifers and one steer.

14 HEAD OF STOCK HOGS—Weight about 125 lbs, and all are immuned.

LOT OF GRAIN AND HAY—400 or 500 bushels of corn; 800 bushels of extra good seed oats; 5 tons clover hay and some oat straw.

One New Dodge Car, 1917 Model.

LOT OF FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 Deering grain binder, good as new; 1 McCormick corn binder; 1 New Century riding cultivator; 1 Busy Bee riding cultivator; 1 McCormick hay stacker; 1 bull rake; 1 Osborn hay rake; 1 low wheel wagon and rack; 1 set 1¾ inch harness; 1 set single harness.

Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention. LUNCH will be served on the ground by Harmony Red Cross.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time given with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed till terms of sale have been complied with.

CHAS. EVANS, Auct.
FAY CASTEEL, Clerk.

Leslie Griffey

Public Sale

Having rented my farm, I will hold a closing out sale at my residence 4½ miles southeast of Pickering, and 2½ miles due west of Orrsburg, on

Friday February 21

55——HEAD OF STOCK——55

9 HEAD OF HORSES—Bay horse 11 years old, weight 1250, broke gentle, single and double; bay horse, smooth mouth blind, a No. 1 work horse, weight 1250; black mare 10 years old, gentle, wt. 1250; bay horse coming 5 years old, wt. 1350; horse coming 4 years old, wt. 1250; coming 3-year-old bay mare; coming 2-year-old horse; pair black geldings, coming 3 years old, wt. about 2200.

16 HEAD OF CATTLE—Five head of cows, from 4 to 6 years old; 3 head coming 3 year old cows; coming 2-year-old heifer. These cows are all good Shorthorn stuff and will all be fresh in spring. 4-year-old Shorthorn bull, a good one; 4 coming yearling bull calves; 2 coming yearling heifer calves.

30 HEAD HOGS—2 tried sows; 4 spring gilts; 13 head summer shoats; 10 fall shoats and 1 boar. These hogs are all Poland-Chinas.

POULTRY—I have about 10 dozen thoroughbred Barred Rock chickens. This is an extra nice bunch that we have been selecting for 7 or 8 years. Will have some hay in stack; about 100 bushels oats; 60 bushels rye; some seed corn.

SOME FARM IMPLEMENTS; some household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention. Will also offer my 1918 Model Overland touring car at private sale if not sold before day of sale.

LUNCH by Bloomdale Willing Workers Auxiliary.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8% interest from date.

H. D. WELLS, Clerk.
CHAS. EVANS, Auct.

C. M. Copeland

Combination Sale

Bellows & Converse

To be held at the R. M. New farm, more commonly known as the Mutz farm, 2 miles west and ½ mile south of Maryville, on

Tuesday, February 25, 1919

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock. Converse is leaving the state and is making a dispersion sale. Bellows having sold the Curfman farm are over stocked with horses, hogs and implements. And every article offered with be sold to the highest bidder.

The sale includes the following described property—

9 HEAD OF HORSES 9

One registered Percheron 3-year-old stallion, this is a corking good colt. He is exceptionally well bred, is jet black, sound as a bell and every inch a real horse. Three extra good draft mares, bred to Ideal, weight about 1400 each; one well matched team of heavy draft geldings, black, weight about 3400, 7 years old and sound; one draft colt; one smooth mouth all purpose horse; one smooth mouth draft horse.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE 11

Three registered Scotch Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age; seven or eight milch cows, some fresh, others to freshen soon.

117 HEAD OF HOGS 117

31 Chester White gilts, bred to good red boar. These will begin to farrow about March 20; 85 head of stock hogs, weighing about 90 pounds each, an extra even bunch of growthy shoats; one Jersey red boar from Hurst herd.

46 HEAD OF SHEEP 46

26 aged ewes; 19 last year lambs; 1 aged buck.

Two dozen White Leghorn Hens and a few White Leghorn Roosters.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 200 bu of choice seed oats; a few tons of fine timothy hay, baled; about 10 tons of oats straw of excellent quality.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Weber wagon, complete, as good as new; 2 manure spreaders; one Selberzon ensilage cutter and 34 feet of pipe; 1 Osborne grain binder in good repair; 1 new Oliver gang plow; 1 new Oliver combined lister and drill; one 2-row go-devil; 2 Black Hawk corn planters, each with 80 rods of wire; 1 grain drill in good working order; 2 new Oliver riding cultivators; one 20th Century cultivator; one 6-foot McCormick mower; one 7-foot McCormick mower; 1 side delivery rake; 1 hay stacker; one 6-foot water tank, new; 1 road wagon and single harness; 1 set of good work harness; 1 sewing machine; 1 Old Trusty 220-egg incubator; some chicken coops; one 3-burner gasoline stove; about 10 bu. potatoes; some second-hand gas pipe, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash or bankable note for 6 months, bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No articles removed until terms of sale are complied with.

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Closing Out Sale

I will sell at public auction at the farm, known as the E. A. Johnson farm, 7 miles south of Maryville and 2 miles northwest of Arkoe, on

Thursday, February 20

The following described property:

5 HEAD HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of light bay gelding, coming 5 years old; black mare coming 6 years old; bay mare coming 8 years old. All of these are broke, and good heavy stuff. Pair yearling mules, mare and horse.

CATTLE—1 coming 3-year-old heifer giving milk, and an extra good milker; 11 head coming yearling calves.

HAY, GRAIN—2 or more tons of good clover hay; about 100 bushels of good corn in crib, and about 25 acres of corn in field.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—Brand new low iron wheel wagon and hay rack; high wheel wagon; hack; good top buggy; International gas engine and pump jack, good as new; John Deere 14-16 disc, with trucks; 6-foot Emerson mower; good breaking plow; Emerson walking cultivator, nearly new; go-devil; corn planter; 2 sets of work harness; set of single harness; vinegar barrel; Sharples cream separator; watering pan or tank; some hedge posts, and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of the Arkoe M. E. church.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8% interest from date.

J. R. BRANIGER, Auct.
HARLEM WELLS, Clerk.

S. L. Johnson